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## DRYS ARE IN THE SADDLE

PROHIBITION SUBMISSION PETITIONS BEFORE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

### THE "FLOODGATES" WERE OPENED TODAY

Want the Question Submitted at the General Election in 1910—Senator Humphrey Has an Original Measure.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.— The flood gates of prohibition submission petitions was opened in the house this morning, and in the first fifteen minutes several hundred were offered and referred to the committee on constitutional amendments.

Representative Deal, of Mississippi county, offered five petitions to start the ball rolling, and immediately at least fifty members were on their feet, demanding the floor.

The petitions all call for a submission of the prohibition issue to the people at the general election of 1910.

A like performance was enacted in the senate yesterday, when petitions from twenty-seven counties were reported.

In view of the tremendous pressure being brought to bear on members of both houses of the general assembly, there is no doubt that the submission resolution will pass the house.

A canvass of the senate shows a pronounced division. At least seventeen senators have expressed themselves as against the submission of a state-wide measure.

The Anti-Saloon league workers at the capital have not been advocating state-wide prohibition here. District option and a county unit law, whereby towns of over 2,500 are exempted from the general county option to be included hereafter, have been the objective points of the league's labor, but the local workers are unanimously demanding a general state-wide election.

Senator Humphrey has in contemplation a statuatory prohibition measure which he will introduce soon. Senator Humphrey advocates a special election for the prohibition matter, in order that politics may be eliminated from the issue as far as is possible.

In case his measure should pass the election would be held early next fall.

The state-wide prohibition by constitutional amendment, however, appears to have the call at present. At any rate, the proposition is certain to be submitted in some form or other within the next eighteen months.

## A PLEASANT SURPRISE

At Home of S. M. Stanley, Chief Clerk at Missouri Pacific Shops.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Stanley were surprised Tuesday evening at their home, 1509 South Osage avenue, by a party of neighbors and friends ,numbering about thirty.

All met at the corner of Sixteenth and Osage at the home of Ralph Rhodes, and at 8 o'clock proceeded to the Stanley home, where they were admitted with pleasure.

After Mr. and Mrs. Stanley had regained their composure they set to work to help all to spend a jolly evening, and most admirably did they succeed.

Games of various kinds were indulged in, and music, both vocal and instrumental, added to the enjoyment of the occasion. It was a late hour when the guests departed, after having thanked Mr. and Mrs. Stanley for the enjoyable evening spent at their always hospitable home.

## MR. LAWSON TALKS TONIGHT

On "Organization" Before East St. Louis Business Men's Club.

C. C. Lawson left at noon today for East St. Louis, Ill., where, tonight, he will deliver an address on "Organization" at the annual banquet of the East St. Louis Business Men's club.

Prior to his departure Mr. Lawson stated that the Merchants' Home and Industry association, which organization took that name at a meeting at Mr. Lawson's office Monday afternoon, and not Tuesday as stated by the Capital today, was meeting with great success in enrolling a membership of five hundred, and soon it is expected that the membership of the organization will compare favorably with that of any similar body in cities the size of Sedalia.

### Mr. Hall on Six Committees.

Hon. Holmes Hall, senator from this district, is a member of the following senate committees, but if not chairman of either of them: Revision; life, fire and other insurance; accounts and miscellaneous law; retrenchment, reform, fees and salaries and criminal costs; printing and joint printing; engrossed bills.

### Five Days In Jail.

Charles Williams, a peace disturbe, and not the Sedalia Charles Williams, was given a five days' jail sentence by Judge Leaming today.

## BARBER WAS POISONED

BELIEVED IT WAS CAUSED BY EATING MEAT SANDWICH ON TUESDAY.

### TAKEN SICK AT SUPPER HOUR LAST NIGHT

Dr. E. F. Staats Was Called to Attend the Patient, Whose Condition Today Is Still Very Critical.

Fred Freese, a barber at the Delmar hotel, living at 211 West Cooper street, is in a critical condition today as a result of ptomaine poisoning at his home yesterday.

Mr. Freese, who is 40 years old and has a wife and two children, purchased a sandwich at an Ohio street lunch wagon yesterday. About 6 o'clock last evening he was taken violently ill as a result.

Two hours later Mr. Freese grew worse and Dr. E. F. Staats was summoned, and after administering antidotes revived the patient, but he is still a very sick man today.

The attending physician pronounced the illness ptomaine poisoning, due to eating the sandwich.

## WAS THIS MAN DRUGGED?

Found in an Unconscious Condition This Morning.

Ludger Lanthier, aged about 35 years, who claims New York city as his home, and who came here last night from Washington, Mo., was found unconscious in the yard of W. J. Smith's home, 517 North Osage street, by some colored people, this morning.

Dr. Barnum was called, and attended the patient, who did not regain consciousness until this afternoon.

Lanthier was in the company of a man from Higginsville last night, and was given a drink from a bottle that it is believed contained drugged liquor.

Whether the man was robbed was not known at the time the Democrat-Sentinel went to press.

## THE VACCINATION CASE

Was Decided Today Adversely to the School Board.

Judge Samuel Davis, of Marshall, today rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the mandamus proceedings of J. E. O'Bannon against the Sedalia school board, and an appeal was taken to the supreme court.

According to the decision, school children may attend school without being vaccinated.

C. E. Yeater and J. T. Montgomery looked after the board's interests, and G. W. Barnett and C. C. Lawson represented the plaintiff.

### Injured by Premature Explosion.

Samuel Mahan, a 15-year-old son of Ira Mahan, of Lamonte, while shooting sparrows three miles south of Lamonte Tuesday, had his left thumb badly lacerated by the premature explosion of a shell.

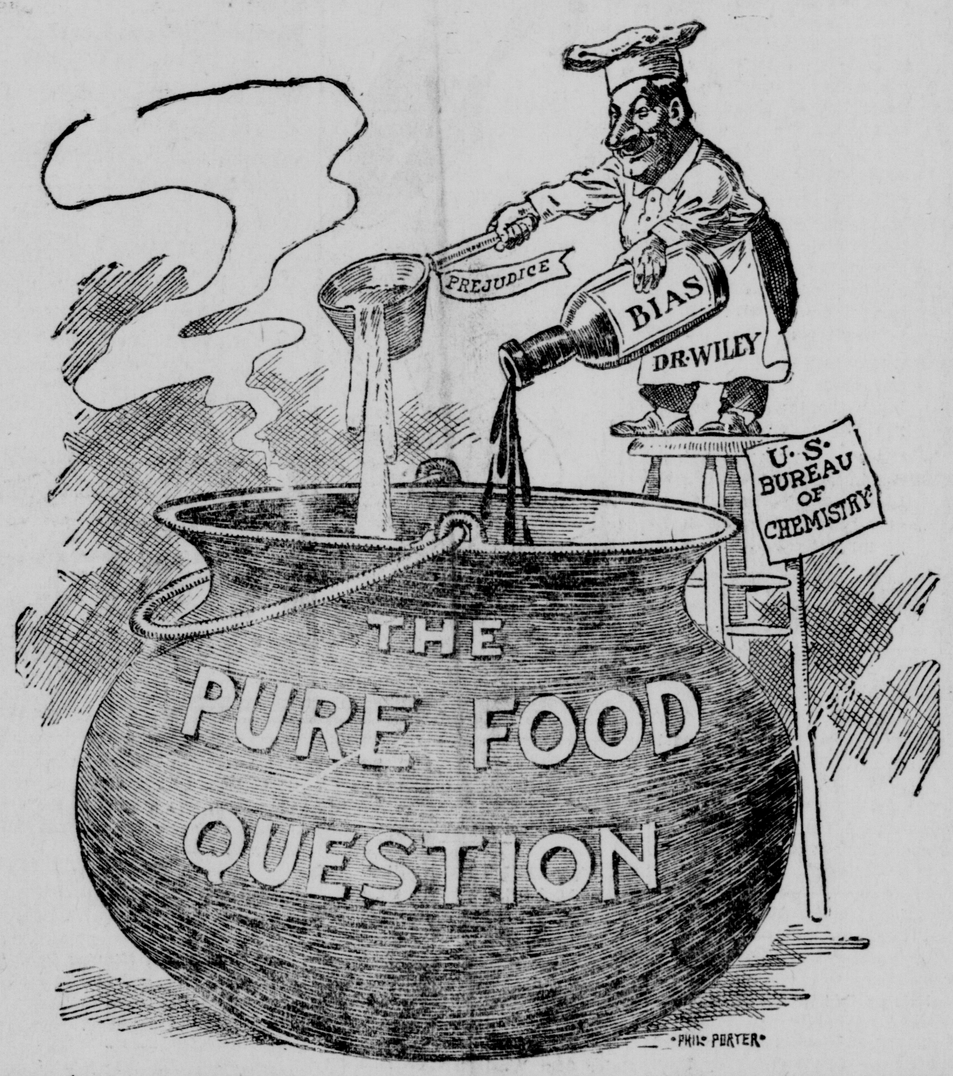
### Prohibition Over the Veto.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 3.—The prohibition bill was passed by the senate over the governor's veto this afternoon. The measure will not reach the house before tomorrow.

### Will Head the Mine Workers Again.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—Thomas L. Lewis was today reelected president of the United Mine Workers of America by a majority of 16,000.

## MAKING A MESS OF IT.




## DR. BRAYFIELD IS FREED

NO EVIDENCE AGAINST PHYSICIAN ACCUSED OF POISONING.

### ACTION MEETS WITH GENERAL APPROVAL

Many Believed Doctor Was Being Persecuted as Result of Village Lodge Gossip—There Was a Woman in the Case.

Benton, Ill., Feb. 3.—In the Franklin county circuit court in this city yesterday, Dr. B. F. Brayfield, the Milkeytown physician, was freed of the charge of murder placed against him by the November grand jury of the circuit court, when George A. Hickman state's attorney, dismissed the case.

Dr. Brayfield was accused of causing the death of Reuben F. Parrish, the Milkeytown station agent for the Illinois Central railroad, who died last March, after a few days' illness.

The death of the doctor's wife a few days later caused the villagers to regard the matter with suspicion, and an endless chain of gossip soon began, which threatened to involve the doctor and Mr. Parrish's widow in a country town scandal, and eventually resulted in the doctor's indictment by the grand jury.

In discussing the case, the state's attorney gave out a statement emanating from Dr. C. W. Lillie, the East St. Louis chemist, who analyzed the stomach of Parrish to the effect that the results were negative of all forms of poison.

The sudden ending of the case meets with popular sentiment, many having regarded the matter as a persecution, believing the doctor to be innocent.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

By Brotherhood of M. E. Church, South, Last Night.

The Methodist Brotherhood of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, met in regular session last night, and after receiving regular communications, elected the following to membership: Earl Martin, Dr. O. F. Hatton, Mathew Guthrie, A. L. Dickman, Chester Licklider and Will Hoffman.

The following officers of the Brotherhood were elected:

President—H. R. Camp.

First vice president—George D. Malone.

Second vice president—Charles Allen.

Third vice president—George B. Stotts.

Secretary—Robert Thompson.

Treasurer—Arthur Meuschke.

The organization meets on the first Tuesday night in each month, but a special meeting will be held on February 17 for the transaction of matters of interest to the Brotherhood.

### The Council Met Last Night.

Sedalia council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, met last night and made arrangements for an informal dance, card party and bowling contest to be held for members only at the lodge home tomorrow night.

## BILLS, THEN MORE BILLS

THIS WAS THE ORDER OF BUSINESS AT THE STATE CAPITAL TODAY.

### 80 PR. CT. OF MEMBERS ON THEIR FEET

One Representative Got the Floor and Introduced Everything He Had in His Desk—Selling Liquor to Minors.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—When Representative Mitchell, of Polk county, suddenly arose from his seat, at 11:30 o'clock this morning, and asked consent to introduce a bill, 80 per cent of the members of the house leaped up as one man, and the torrent of bills suppressed for four weeks had broken loose.

No member was content with one bill. While he held the floor he introduced everything he had in his desk.

Thirty-six bills were filed in five minutes, with no apparent difference in the number of members on the floor.

The house convened for the first time just four weeks ago today, and the members are making up for lost time with a vengeance.

The first bill introduced by Representative Mitchell provides an additional penalty for selling liquors to minors.

The house took a recess at noon, with thirty members still on their feet.

### The Ladies' Musical Club.

The Ladies' Musical club met this morning for chorus practice, after which a small amount of business of no interest to other than club members was transacted.

## HE VISITED MRS. GOULD

DUSTIN FARNUM, THE ACTOR, IS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN HER GUEST.

### ACCORDING TO DIVORCE DEPOSITIONS

Entertained Him in Her Apartments in a Hotel at Lynchburg, Va.—They Acted as a Gentleman and a Lady.

New York, Feb. 3.—Two more depositions on behalf of Howard Gould in the suit brought against him by Katherine Clemmons Gould for a separation were filed last night.

They were those of James G. Clark, a bell boy, and Clarence Pullen, a waiter, employed at the Hotel Carroll, in Lynchburg, Pa.

The depositions allege that Mrs. Gould was a guest at the Lynchburg hotel in November, 1906, and that Dustin Farnum, the actor, who has been brought into the case through Mr. Gould's counter charges, was a guest at the same time, though they had apartments on different floors.

Both men testified that Farnum visited Mrs. Gould at her apartment at her request. Clark called him the first time soon after Mrs. Gould's arrival.

Pullen, the waiter, also called Farnum to Mrs. Gould's room, where the two had supper together.

The next day Farnum and Mrs. Gould also took their meals together in Mrs. Gould's room, and Pullen waited on them. They left the hotel that afternoon.

Pullen was asked if any liquor was served at the meals and he replied that he served none and saw none in the rooms.

"Did you ever see any impropriety of any kind between Mrs. Gould and Farnum while in the hotel" asked Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for Mrs. Gould.

"No, sir," Pullen replied. "They conducted themselves as gentleman and lady, as far as my observations went."

## DR. GARTON IS HEARD FROM

Former Sedalian Well Pleased With His New Position.

Dr. A. M. Garton, formerly of the staff of surgeons at Maywood hospital, and later connected with the M., K. & T. railway hospital, who is now a member of the surgical staff of the Santa Fe railway hospital at Topeka, Kas., writes the Democrat-Sentinel, under date of February 2, that he likes his new location exceedingly well.

Among the staff of surgeons at the hospital is Dr. Bishoff, who took a six months' course of study at Vienna, Austria, and who while there made the acquaintance of Dr. Guy Titsworth, a former Sedalia physician, who is now studying in Philadelphia.

According to Dr. Garton's letter, Dr. Bishoff spoke very highly of Dr. Titsworth's ability, and predicted an exceedingly bright future for the genial young doctor, whose many friends will be pleased to learn this.

### Talking About Brick Plant.

The brick plant committee of the Business Men's association is meeting with the association as a whole at Secretary J. W. Mellor's office as the Democrat-Sentinel goes to press.

## KILLED A MAN IN COURT

YOUNG GIRL EMPTIED A REVOLVER INTO CROWD DURING A TRIAL.

### THE DEFENDANT IN THE CASE NOW DEAD

Three Others Were Badly Wounded, and Two of Them May Die—Girl Who Did the Shooting Says She Was Wronged.

Gatesville, Texas, Feb. 3.—Miss Verna Ware, daughter of a prominent farmer of this city, fired repeatedly into a crowded court room in this city yesterday, continuing until her revolver was empty.

As a result, John Haines, a merchant of Jonesboro, for whom the bullets were intended, is dead; two bystanders, James Smith and David Ross, are perhaps fatally wounded, and A. R. Wiley, Jr., is seriously wounded.

It was during the trial of Haines on serious charges prefered by Miss Ware that the shooting occurred.

Approaching a window, from which a view of the court room could be had, Miss Ware saw Haines among the spectators, and before she could be restrained drew the revolver from the folds of her dress and fired.

Three of the bullets struck Haines, who died within an hour.

Miss Ware and her brother, Chas. Ware, were arrested.

## CAME HERE AFTER A DIVORCE

Tiesus A. Fitzwater, Who Arrived in the City Last Night.

Tiesus Albert Fitzwater, a former Sedalia boy, now employed as a brakeman on the Union Pacific railway between Salina and Ellis, Kas., arrived home at 9:10 o'clock Tuesday night, and today employed W. D. O'Bannon to institute suit divorce from his wife, Edna Fitzwater, formerly Edna Sheldon, alleging desertion.

Suit will be brought in circuit court late this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzwater were united in marriage in this city on July 3, 1907, and separated on February 1, 1908.

## SEVENTEEN WERE KILLED

In a Mine Explosion at Short Creek, Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 3.—Seventeen men were killed and two others dangerously injured in an explosion in slope No. 2 of the coal mines of the Birmingham Coal and Iron company at Short Creek ,eighteen miles west of here, shortly before noon yesterday.

Of the victims twelve are negroes and five whites.

## WED BY THE REV. BOYD

Leave This Evening for a Bridal Trip in the South.

A. B. Bridges, a contractor of Windsor, and Miss Isabelle Peel, of Belleville, Ill., were united in marriage by the Rev. A. A. Boyd, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, at the home of the groom's brother, J. R. Bridges, an M., K. & T. conductor, 1215 East Tenth street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The bridal couple will leave tonight for a honeymoon trip in the south, and will then go to Windsor to live.

## RECOGNIZED HIS FATHER

SIGHT OF PARENT LIFTS VEIL FROM THE MIND OF ROY C. PORTER.

### UNKNOWN FOR A PERIOD OF TWO WEEKS

The Young Man Found in Memphis, Tennessee, Does Not Remember Leaving Home of a Girl in Cameron, Mo.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 3.—The mysterious "unknown," who has been in Memphis for the past two weeks, is a mystery no longer. His name is Roy C. Porter, son of J. W. Porter of Ottawa, Kan. Sight of the father's face as he stepped into the office of Chief of Police O'Haver yesterday brought back to the clouded brain of the young man recollections of who he was. He recognized not only his own identity, but remembered also all the facts connected with his former life.

Only one thing is to his mind a blank. From Sunday night, Jan. 17, to 8:30 o'clock, when he remembers being in the parlor at the home of Miss Bertha Moore at Cameron, Mo., until he awoke in Memphis, Tuesday morning, Jan. 19, he knows nothing.

Roy C. Porter is 22 years old. He has been for two years superintendent of the American Sunbonnet Co. at Lathrop, Mo. He left there on the Sunday night of his disappearance to go to Cameron. He called on Miss Moore and the last thing he remembers was being at her home. How he got to Memphis or what happened to him after he left her house, he can not even make a conjecture about.

The father thought at first that the son might have been waylaid by another suitor for the hand of the young woman. The son does not place any credence in such a story. He says it is improbable.

### Porter Disappeared January 17.

Lathrop, Mo., Feb. 3.—Roy C. Porter, foreman of the American Sunbonnet Co., of this place, who was identified in Memphis yesterday, purchased a ticket for Cameron and boarded a Burlington train on the night of Jan. 17, and has not been seen here since.

Young Porter was a business man of good habits and popular with the young people. At the time of his disappearance he was keeping house with his sister, and she was nearly distracted when her brother failed to put in an appearance next morning.

His employer communicated with the father, J. W. Porter, over the long distance telephone. The elder Mr. Porter came here but was unable to secure any information, and returned home with his daughter.

## "Y. M. C. L." ROOMS OPENED

Twenty-Seven Young Men Were Present Last Night.

The "Y. M. C. L." room was opened Tuesday night to the public from 7:30 to 10:30 o'clock and was visited by twenty-seven young men, thus showing their approval of a room of this character in which to spend their evenings.

It was a grand sight to see the assembly of young men reading, playing games and enjoying the music rendered by Mr. Meyers McClure, which more than once caused hearty applause.

At 9 o'clock refreshments were served by the young men, which were greatly enjoyed.

All left with a hand shake, assuring their presence soon again. Those in charge say:

"Should you be fortunate enough to have an open date, come and see us. Everything is free. We need your encouragement."

## CALIFORNIA PAPERS INCIGNANT

Camplain at Eastern Criticism of State's Attitude.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 3.—The criticism of the eastern press on the anti-Japanese feeling in this state has aroused a storm of protest from the newspapers of California.

The papers of the state generally complain that the real attitude of the people is not understood in the east. Most of the papers regard the exclusion of the Japanese to be both necessary and inevitable.

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### The Weather Forecast.

Fair tonight and Thursday: moderate temperature.

### CLEVELAND AND THE WAR.

The story of why Grover Cleveland did not go to war is told by George F. Parker in McClure's Magazine for February. Mr. Cleveland, who had been criticised for his order for the return of the battle flags taken during the Civil war, said to Mr. Parker:

"See how I am misjudged. It is charged in the press that I had no sympathy with the Union armies. When the war came there were three men of fighting age in our family. We were poor and mother and sisters depended on us for support. We held a family council and decided that two of us should enlist in the Union army and the third stay at home for the support of the family. We decided it by drawing cuts. The two long and one short pieces of paper were put by my mother in the leaves in the old family Bible. She held it while we drew.

"My two brothers drew the long slips, and at once enlisted; and I abided by my duty to the helpless women. Later on, I was drafted and borrowed a thousand dollars to hire a substitute, and it took years of hard work to repay that loan.

"So, of three men of fighting age, our family furnished three recruits to the Union army, and I would have been a monster if I had had no sympathy with that cause for which my brothers were fighting and for which I had sacrificed."

### THE SENATORIAL FIGHTS.

This has been a year of keen senatorial fights. In quite a number of states there have been contests that attracted national attention, and deadlocks in some which were broken only after prolonged balloting.

The east generally elected its senators peaceably and orderly. Delaware, fortunately, not having this unpleasant duty to perform this year. But in the central states thee have been some notable battles, not all of which have been yet concluded.

Ohio was threatened with a nasty fight, but it was averted at the last minute by the withdrawal of Charles P. Taft, who will await a more favorable opening.

The Hoosier democrats had a pretty contest for the rare plum, in which Vice Presidential Candidate Kern went down to probably the last of his innumerable defeats. Illinois had been balloting many days in a vain effort to decide whether Senator Hopkins shall be returned to Washington or kept at home where he belongs and the outcome is not yet in sight.

### CASE OF UNDERRATING.

"Advertising," sapiently observes the house organ of an advertising agency, "is that publicity which helps sell goods, and is of two kinds—creative and directive.

"Creative advertising is intended to create a demand that did not exist before; directive advertising is intended to direct trade for which a demand is already established, and which demand can not well be increased. To advertise salt will not increase the demand for salt."

Even enthusiastic believers in publicity sometimes underate its powers. The proposition that "to advertise salt will not increase the demand for salt" is open to dispute. There are a dozen domestic uses for salt, altogether aside from its employment as a seasoning for food, which are by no means generally understood. An educative newspaper campaign directing the attention of housewives to the subject would increase the consumption of salt as surely as publicity has enlarged the market for borax.

### THRIFT AND BOYS.

To every boy in Iowa who will make a pledge neither to use tobacco nor liquor, Samuel Saucerman, a wealthy Des Moines resident, will give $1, a cent a day for three years, and another dollar at the end of the three years.

At the same time, he urges the boys who accept his proposition to save the nickels and dimes they otherwise would spend for tobacco and alcoholic drink and put them with their account. He has figured out that if the boys will do this none will arrive at the age of 21 years without having enough to take them through college or give them a good start in life.

The enormous expense of keeping war vessels in repair suggests to Mr Tawney, of the appropriations committee, that perhaps we had better stop building more battleships until we get those we have into good order and learn how to build them and run them so they will not be constantly tied up to the repair shops. The sixteen world-encircling battleships are not disabled yet, but it is expected that it will take millions to put them in good order after they shall reach home.

Millions of those who have attended the schools of the country, as well as the present generation of pupils, will utter protests both loud and deep against the idea of "turning down" that story of Paul Revere's ride. With the stirring poem laid on the shelf, what will become of those who have made it a favorite theme at prize-speaking contests?

The Nebraska legislature is considering a bill to have hotel beds inspected once a year, and aired once in every three months. Such hygenic precautions as this are going a good way in the privacy of the management of a private enterprise.

The Cleveland people who are living as Christ would have taken a second hitch at it, and after finishing two weeks will try another fortnight. Many can testify that the first two weeks on the water wagon were the hardest.

The man, experienced in hunting in Africa, who says the president will find no elephants where he is going, is very likely right. The elephant is a wise beast, and the president's proposed route has been published for some time.

Virginia makes persons found guilty of crimes pay the costs of their trials. It does seem logical that the criminal should suffer for his misdemeanors, and recoup the state for the expense he has put it to

Fencing is said to be coming into great favor in American society as a means of exercise. But there is not much chance of the fad going so far as to introduce the French duel as a mode of diversion.

Taft will receive twice the salary of Roosevelt, and it is hoped he will earn it. But at any rate, the increase in the presidential salary will more than cover Brother Charlie's $110,000 contribution to the national campaign fund.

A Brooklyn magistrate holds that a man can not be found guilty of non support of his wife if he has never contributed to her support. This shows how careful men should be of commencing the practice.

Having named the racing winners, won the baseball pennant, announced Taft's majority, and made good resolutions a lot of dopesters will take a new hitch in the cabinet members.

A St. Louis woman tried to prevent her mother from getting married again by telling the license clerk that the old lady was not of age.

Joe Cannon will get $15,000 a year if re-elected speaker. Cannon ought to be charged up to the war department or the naval bill.

### Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. L. N. Guild, at Tuesday afternoons meeting of the W. C. T. U., read a paper on "What the W. C. T. U. Is Doing." Mrs. J. E. Cannaday was elected legislative superintendent, and Mrs. E. D. Bosserman medal contest superintendent.

If You Ask—Your doctor to leave your prescription here we will promptly fill and deliver it to you.
Arlington Pharmacy.

For best bread use Gold Coin.

"Little Squaw," a delightful cigar.

### He's an Odd Fellow Now.

D. G. Phipps was given the third degree of the Odd Fellows by Prairie Queen lodge No. 25 Tuesday night.


## Trying To Do

Business without advertising is like winking in the dark — you know what you are doing, but nobody else does. We want every housekeeper in Sedalia to know the fine quality of our Golden Roast Coffee. Hundreds of families are using it. Why no you? When you need coffee, try it, per pound ..... 25c

RICHELIEU SLICED
Lemon cling Peaches are packed fresh-ripe from the tree, sliced in heavy syrup; fancy halves if peferred; per can... 35c

RICHELIEU ROYAL
Our white Cherries, nothing but a taste can tell you their merit; per can ..... 35c

GREEN BANNER BRAND
Lemon cling Peaches; cans full of nice fruit in syrup; per can..... 20c

HICKS
THE GROCER



## WHEEZER OR SNEEZER?

Have You Heard of Hyomei for Catarrh, Asthma and Hay Fever.

If you wheeze or sneeze, hawk or spit, snuffle or blow, something is the matter with the membrane of your respiratory tract, and you need Hyomei.

And you need Hyomei because it will cure you of any catarrhal or inflammatory condition that exists.

It isn't a stomach medicine, or spray, or douche, but a very pleasant, healing, antiseptic balsam, form the eucalyptus forests of Australia. You breathe this balsamic air through a small, hard rubber inhaler, and it reaches every nook, corner and crevice of the membrane, and promptly kills the catarrh germs.

W. E. Bard Drug Co. will sell you a complete Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) outfit for $1.00, on the money-back plan.

"The use of Hyomei cured Mr. Cutler of catarrh in 1904. He has strongly endorsed the use of Hyomei in many instances, and we are glad to go on record regarding this marvelous catarrh cure, and endorsing its use." —Mrs. A. Cutler, 261 Post Ave., Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 12, 1908.



## MI-O-NA Cures Dyspepsia.

Your money back if it don't. Gives immediate relief from heartburn, sour stomach, stomach distress and sick headache. 50 cents a large box at
W. E. BARD DRUG CO.



## A Square Deal To All. Managers Wanted.

You have read our advertisements about WASH-CLEAN. WASH-CLEAN is at all grocers. Call for a package. Try it. It does more than we claim for it. It does washing in fifteen to twenty minutes—no rubbing, no injury to clothes; washes as white as snow.

### WE WANT

GOOD LIVE MEN to manage counties. No bonus—$300 to $500 per month guaranteed. Men with experience in calling on trade preferred. Act quickly, the counties are going fast. Address Box 32, Sedalia, Mo., or call at Huckins Hotel for

J. L. DIXON,
State Manager of Wash-Clean Mfg. Co.







# LISTEN!

## Read Prices on Shoes

Women's Patent Leather Shoes, former price $3 50 and $4 00, now..... $2.48
Women's patent leather shoes, former price $3.00, now..... $1.98
Woman's kid shoes, former price $2.50 and $2.00, now..... $1.48
Women's kid and patent shoes, small sizes, former price $3.00 to $4.00, now ..... 98c
Men's patent leather shoes, former price, $4 to $5.00, now..... $2.48
Men's patent leather shoes, small sizes, $3 50 to $5.00, now..... $1.98
Misses and Children's shoes, former price, 75c to $2.50, now..... 48c to $1.48
Women's Rubbers.....40c Men's Rubbers .....50c
All Good Goods and Latest Styles.






## POEPLE'S SHOE STORE
204 OHIO STREET.


## A NATIONAL RIFLE MEET

TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD, AND CRACK SHOTS WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE.

### THERE ARE THREE MATCHES IN PROGRAM

Major Sam W. James, of This City, Would Give Almost Anything Within Reason Could He Be With the Bunch.

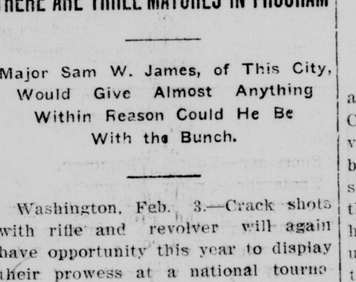
Washington, Feb. 3.—Crack shots with rifle and revolver will again have opportunity this year to display their prowess at a national tournament to be held at the camp range owned by the state of Ohio. Final announcements of the meet and governing conditions were made today by the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice.

August 20 has been selected as the opening date. Preliminary practice will take place during the first two days, to be followed by the regular program, which will be much the same as last year. The Ohio state shoot will probably be held the week before the national tournament.

There are three matches in the program—the national team match, the individual match and the revolver match. The national match is for teams of twelve riflemen, from the infantry and cavalry of the army, the navy, the marine corps, the naval academy and the military academy, and teams from each state and territory.

The principal change in the rules to govern the match was one, by which, on a basis of the position of the fifty teams shooting last year, the contest is separated into three divisions. The first division will consist of the first fifteen teams, the second of the second fifteen teams and the third of the other teams shooting last year.

Three sets of prizes will be given, but the match is shot as one contest, and a team in either of the two lower classes, by making a superior score, may win a place in the first division, or even the national trophy, the first prize.


It is never too late to begin to save. You are never on the road to SUCCESS until you begin to save. A "rainy day" will come to most of us; why not be prepared to welcome it? Savings Department to you.

## Sedalia Trust Co.
"THE HOME OF SAVINGS."
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## HOW'S THIS FOR SPEED

Took Just Seven Minutes to Connect Denver, Colo., and Carrollton, Mo., by Long Distance "Bell" Telephone.

H. H. Wilcoxson, of Carrollton, Mo., a few days since, was on his way to California. The train stopped at Denver Union station twenty minutes for breakfast. Mr. Wilcoxson had occasion to talk back home and stated to the Bell long distance operator that his train would be there twenty minutes and during that time he wanted to eat breakfast and talk home.

The call was put in and the order for breakfast made at the same time. Before his hurry-up breakfast was served he was told that Carrollton, Mo., was ready—seven and one half minutes had elapsed between the time of putting in his call and the time Carrollton answered ready, and the conversation began. The conversation was, as in all cases over the Bell lines, clear and distinct and no words were repeated.

The line used was but recently completed at an enormous cost, and is the only telephone connection between Denver and eastern points. It is entirely successful and is considered by the Bells engineers as a feat of moment.

### HEXAMETHYLENETETRAMINE

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Remedy. Hexamethyleneteramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric acid solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady.—Arlington Pharmacy.

### Mrs. Knight Was Hostess.

Mrs. Horace Knight entertained six tables of players at the home of Mrs. H. W. Knight, jr., on East Broadway, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. H. W. Servant won the club prize, a silver fork, and Miss Helen Spencer the guest prize, a handkerchief. Refreshments of cream pie, coffee and salted nuts were served.

If It's Medicine—You need, call 14, either phone, and we will supply you promptly.—Arlington Pharmacy.

For a good job of wood sawing, call phone 256; gasoline saw.—Sedalia Fuel and Feed Co.

### Special Service Tonight.

Rev. William F. Jones, the district superintendent, will preach at Epworth church on Wednesday night at 7:30. You and your friends are cordially invited.

"Atlas" flour is all good flour. Nothing in the sack but flour.

### Dr. O. F. Hatton

Wishes to announce that he has returned to Sedalia and has permanently located with office rooms in the Hoffman Bldg. Bell phone 312.

### Notice.

We have a large stock of office supplies such as ledgers, journals, cash books, card index filers, ink, pens, pencils, clips, etc. See our samples of fine printed and engraved stationery. "When quality counts we get the order."—Thomas & Potter, Stationers and Printers, 111 East Second Street.

Why is there more Big "S" flour sold? It is the very best. Quality sells Big "S" flour.

### Chief Boulit Is Aged 37.

W. H. Boulit, chief of police, was 37 years old Tuesday, and friends assembled at his home, on East Broadway, Tuesday night to celebrate the occasion. There were various games, and in awarding the prizes the guest of honor won the first prize, while J. E. O'Bannon won the consolation prize. The chief was kindly remembered with a family pipe, presented by Miss Lola Thomas. Refreshments of pie and fruits were served.

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## MISSOURIAN LOST $30,000

**He Bet His Coin On a Horse Race That Had Been "Fixed."**

Denver, Colo., Feb. 3.—The loser of $30,000 in an alleged confidence game, J. M. Blue, bank president and capitalist of Princeton, Mo., came to Denver Monday night, believing the police had arrested the men who victimized him.

The police had under arrest a man whom the sheriff of Princeton had been trailing and another man named J. Jones, alias West, who is said to be implicated. Jones has been held but the other man under arrest proved an alibi and was released.

Chief of Police Armstrong says the right man is in Chicago and that he has notified the Chicago police to arrest him.

Mr. Blue informed the chief that October 12 last he was induced to bet $30,000 on a horse in a race at Council Bluffs. The race was declared a dead heat and it was agreed to run it again at Springfield, Mo., a month later. In the meantime the stakeholder disappeared with the money.


## Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold only—you should always heal, soothe, and ease the irritated bronchial tubes. Don't blindly suppress it with a stupefying poison. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now—a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label, if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good!! Hereafter this very reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

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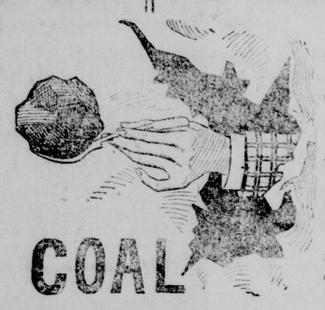
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## PROBLEMS OF IRELAND

**WILL BE DISCUSSED AT A MEETING BEING HELD IN DUBLIN TODAY.**

**ANOTHER DURING THE PRESENT MONTH**

**Reforms Are to Be Worked Out in the Old-Age Pension Act—Some of the Evils That Have Already Arisen.**

Dublin, Feb. 3.—Leaders in the movement for the regeneration of Ireland are gathered in Dublin today for a session at which the many problems now confronting the statesmen on the island will be discussed. Today's meeting is preliminary to a great Nationalist mass meeting later in the month, plans for which were completed today.

A note of optimism was sounded at today's gathering of the patriotic clans, since two measures of vast importance to Ireland were passed at the last session of parliament, and the question of their administration so as to be of the greatest value to the progress of the Irish people has now become a matter of great moment.

A minor issue which is nevertheless attracting great attention has resulted from the working out of the old-age pension act. In the less densely populated parts of Ireland, the post-offices are usually located in the town tavern or public house, equivalent to a saloon in America.

The postmasters are in charge of the payment of the pensions, and it is alleged that they take advantage of their double capacity as paymaster and liquor dealer to insist that the old people should pay the money they receive from Patrick, the postmaster, to Patrick, the tavern keeper.

As many of the pensioners are ignorant and illiterate, it follows that the pension act in many rural communities has served only to increase drunkenness among the aged and to swell the coffers of the liquor dealers.

The Irish leaders have determined to stop these practices, and will notify the pensioners that the postmasters are only government servants and have no authority to dictate how pension money shall be spent.

The most momentous problem now confronting patriotic Irishmen is the practical and just application of the Irish universities act, passed by the last Parliament.

This measure provides for two great institutions of learning, and their proper establishment will remove forever the injustice worked to the youth of Ireland by the fact that her only university, Trinity college, Dublin, was in the hands of the Anglican church authorities.

The two new universities are nominally unsectarian, but the National University of Dublin, of which Archbishop Walsh has been elected chancellor, will be under Roman Catholic influence, and the new Queen's university at Belfast will be dominated by the Presbyterians. Thus the three great religious denominations in Ireland are placed on an equal footing.

The great question which is now being discussed is the compulsory teaching of Irish in the new universities, and there is a good deal of bitterness displayed on the question.

European scholars cannot understand how the universities can be described as Irish if the national language is neglected, but there seem to be some Irishmen who think that to teach Irish would in some way lower the educational standing of the universities.

Strangely enough, the institution at Dublin, which has taken to itself the name National, seems to have become the chief seat of the controversy. There is now little doubt that Irish will be taught at Belfast, but there is still considerable doubt about its introduction at Dublin.

The other first-class Irish measure is the Irish housing act, which may be made a very useful measure if it is properly administered by the local authorities.

The housing of the Irish working class in the past has been a scandal, and it has been too much to expect that landlords or tenant farmers, in the present unsettled state of land tenure in Ireland, would do much to improve it.

The new act gives power to the local authorities to raise money by taxation for the erection of workingmens dwellings, which shall be let at rents sufficient only to recoup the expenditure.

Some minor measures have also been passed, but the great measure for which Irishmen have been working and looking for generations—home rule—seems as far off as ever.

The Liberals have been strangely silent about it recently, and it is feared that they will forget their promise to make it a plank in the Liberal platform at the next general election, as their war on the house of lords and the fiscal controversy will give them an excuse for saying that "minor issues"—like home rule—must wait.

The constabulary act, which has also been passed, is a measure which will benefit the rank and file of the police force, but it will cost the Irish taxpayers $60,000 a year and complaint is justly made that more than this could have been saved if the increase of pay to the men had been coupled with a reorganization of the commissioned ranks.

The fact is that the ordinary policemen in the Royal Irish constabulary are wretchedly underpaid and overworked, while the officers are underworked and overpaid. The force has been reduced three or four times, but the number of officers has remained the same, the only result of the reductions being that each officer retained a smaller command with less work at the same pay.

## SHOULD NOT MISS GRAND OPPORTUNITY

**NO SEDALIA LADY CAN AFFORD TO BE WITHOUT COOK'S BOOK.**

**Prof. Sears' Stay in the City Ends Saturday.**

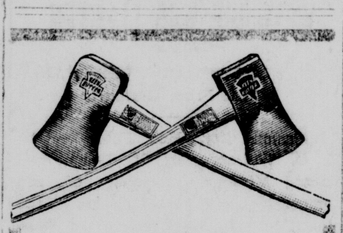
**Free Baking School at Flower-Barnett Dry Goods Co. a Great Success.**

Don't miss the profit derivable from a visit to the greatest baking school ever held in Sedalia. You will not see its like again or have the opportunity to witness such expert work as done by Prof. Sears.

Every lady interested in knowing the secret of Prof. Sears' success should visit the baking school this week. He will by his helpful suggestions assist you to do more easy baking, besides enabling you to have for the enjoyment of your family and friends better baked food. Don't neglect securing a copy of the "Cook's Book" this week. You may believe what your neighbors say about it. It's like has never been offered to the ladies of Sedalia before. It is free to you. Return the certificate from the 25c can of K C baking powder to the baking school and Prof. Sears will present you with a copy. At Thursday's class Prof. Sears will tell you how he makes the following things to eat from recipes that are in the "Cook's Book" and will serve them to you hot from the oven: K C orange cake, K C doughnuts, K C chocolate cake, K C corn bread, K C cocoanut layer cake.

If seeing is believing you will know how really superior to all others are the results securable from the use of K C baking powder. K C is the best baking powder at any price—and up to date.

Ask the representatives of K C to show you the "Cook's Book." It's sure to delight you.

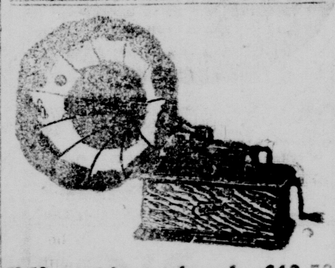



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## 63RD ANNUAL REPORT

**Of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company.**

On page 4 of today's Democrat-Sentinel will be found the sixty-third annual statement of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company, of Harford, Connecticut, authorized by Mr. Homer McElhaney, of Kansas City, general agent.

Special attention is called to the growth of the Connecticut Mutual Life, which is shown in the following figures:

Gain in premium income, $224,149.44; in total income, $269,588.97; in interest earnings, $83,007.48; in gross assets, $2,656,719.56; in ledger assets, $714,386.58; in new insurance over 1907, $1,330,640.48; in total insurance in force, $3,778,792.48; in mortality savings, $179,797.00; in surplus, $1,843,371.87.

The company issued during the year 5,307 policies on a paid-for basis, for $12,098,280.48; showing a gain over 1907 of $1,330,640.48; adding to its insurance $3,778,792.48; and making a total of 74,886 policies in force for $178,494,797.48.

Do It Now—Call 14, either phone, for your wants from the Drug store. We deliver.—Arlington Pharmacy.

## PRINTERS OF NEW YORK

**Will Pay a Tribute to Memory of Horace Greely.**

New York, Feb. 3.—Typographical union No. 6, commonly known as "Big Six," has abandoned its plans for a banquet tonight in honor of its first president, Horace Greeley.

It was decided to wait until 1911, when Greeleys centennial anniversary will be celebrated by all the printers of Greater New York in a manner truly imposing.

Every "print" in the country has a warm place in his heart for "Old Horace," and plans for a proper observance of his 100th birthday are already being considered.


**WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS**

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you—at druggist price 50c Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland O. For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co


**Will Be Invitation Affair.**

Sedalia council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, is making great preparations for the dance to be given at Liberty park on Washington's birthday, the night of February 22. Special music will be furnished. The affair will be strictly by invitation.


C. P. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed."—Arlington Pharmacy.



# India and Ceylon TEA

## Black or Green

**The Beverage That Satisfies Even Confirmed Coffee Drinkers.**

**A scant teaspoon makes two cups.**

**Steep five minutes only.**


**John Scott Gets a Good Plum.**

John W. Scott, ex-sheriff of Cole county, has been appointed commissioner of the permanent seat of government for a term of four years, says the Jefferson City Post. There was a hard fight made for this place, and many applicants throughout the state were after it.

## DOES THIS SUIT YOU?

Dan Wilcox, the enterprising druggist, of 104 West Main street, Sedalia, Mo., is having such a large run on "HINDIPO," the new Kidney Cure and Nerve Tonic, and hears it so highly praised that he now offers to guarantee it in every case to cure all forms of Kidney Troubles and Nervous Disorders.

He pays for it if it does not give you entire satisfaction.

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## FROM THIRTY-FIVE COUNTIES

Petitions Come for Vote on Statewide Prohibition.

Jefferson City, Feb. 3.—At its opening session, the senate yesterday made the liquor question the paramount issue.

Petitions from thirty-five counties were filed, asking for the passage of a bill to submit to the voters a proposal for state-wide prohibition.

No explanation was made as to why the petitioners did not adopt the initiative and referendum method, instead of following the old law of petitioning the legislature.

There are half a dozen members who have prohibition bills in their desks ready to introduce.

WALL PAPER AT SCOTT'S.

## THE LODGES

Modern Woodmen, Attention.

Sedalia camp No. 5570, M. W. A., will meet in regular session Thursday at 8 o'clock in the K. of P. hall at 114 East Fifth street, for initiatory work. Visiting neighbors are cordially invited.

S. W. JAMES, Consul.

E. E. CODDING, Clerk.

Crescent Tent No. 4, K. O. T. M. Members Notice.

Regular review tonight in Royal Tribe hall, corner Second and Ohio streets. All members are urged to be present. Visting Sir Knights are cordially invited.

F. L. LUDEMANN, Com.

J. A. KEELING, Record Keeper.

High School Exercises.

Rev. Dudley M. Clagett led the devotional exercises at the High school today, following with an interesting talk. Mrs. E. B. Quisenberry gave a pleasing vocal selection.

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## SEVERAL DEALS IN DIRT

TRANSFERS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN BOTH THE CITY AND COUNTY.

### WHAT THE COUNTY RECORDS SHOW

Deeds That Have Been Filed in the Office of Recorder Morey During the Week Ending February 2, 1909.

The following transfers of realty have been filed for record:

Allie Hoar and husband to John H. Pregge, wd., 90 acres of land in Dresden twp., $3,000.

Henry S. Demand and wife to Ed H. Schlotzhauer, wd., property in the town of Smithton, $1, and other considerations.

Dietrich Bluhm and wife to Thomas A. Bluhm, wd., 90 acres of land in Smithton twp., $6,300.

Thomas A. Bluhm and wife to Geo. E. Cooke, wd., 39 acres of land in Smithton twp., $2,360.

Third National bank to Henry E. Huston, wd., property south side of Third street, betwten Park and Quincy avenues, $550.

Homer W. Robbins and wife to William H. and A. Annie Brown, wd., property north side of Main street, between Quincy and Prospect avenues, $725.

Florence H. Gobrecht and husband to Bertha Peightel, wd., property east side of Park avenue, between Fourth and Sixth streets, $3,500.

E. M. Miller and wife to E. W. Miller, qcd., property in the town of Hughesville, $900.

M. J. Love and husband to Elizabeth Lennartz, wd., property east side of Moniteau street, between Wilkerson and Third streets, $600.

E. R. Blair and wife to William and Edith I. Todd, wd., 160 acres of land in Smithton twp., $5,000.

William Todd and wife to E. R. Blair, wd., property northwest corner of Sixth and Quincy streets, $4,000.

W. S. Cotton and wife to E. Jennie Morey et al, wd., 235 acres of land in Bowling Green twp., $20,000.

E. Jennie Morey et al to W. S. Cotton, wd., 184 acres of land in Cedar twp. $13,440.

E. Jennie Morey to W. S. Cotton wd., 440 acres of land in Cedar twp., $32,560.

James R. Cooke and wife to William E. Cooke, wd., 40 acres of land in Smithton twp., $1,000.

Pacific Realty and Improvement Co. to George H. and Jessie Laible, wd., poperty north side of Harvey street, between Harding and Gentry avenues, $200.

Ernest Winston and wife to A. A. Scarbrough, wd., 80 acres of land in Blackwater twp., $4,000.

Mrs. Kate Perdue to Walter S. Lytle, wd., 60 acres of land in Elk Fork twp., $2,100.

Light rolls—use White Ribbon Flour

## MENDELSSOHN MEMORIAL

Musical Festivals Held Throughout Germany.

Berlin, Feb. 3.—Throughout the empire today musical festivals and memorial exercises are being held in honor of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Mendelssohn, one of Germany's greatest musical composers.

In Berlin tonight there will be several elaborate concerts devoted to the rendition of Mendelssohn's works, and in Hamburg, the birthplace of the composer, an all-day celebration is in progress, with hundreds of prominent musicians and thousands of singers participating.

Frankfort and other cities have also arranged observances of the centenary.

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The Fee Bills Are Allowed.

The judges of the county court today allowed the criminal fee bills for January, amounting to $551.75.

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Circuit Court Entries.

Entries on the docket in the circuit court today were:

Agnes Amanda Appleby, divorce; decree for plaintiff and $25 alimony and $25 suit money allowed, and execution ordered.

Rose vs. William Tepper, divorce; decree for plaintiff, also custody of daughter, Elsie, and $25 suit money, defendant to pay plaintiff $10 per month for maintenance of child until her eighteenth birthday.

W. H. vs. Carrie Jackson, colored, divorce; petition filed.

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THIS HARMLESS DIGESTIVE AND ANTIACID OVERCOMES STOMACH TROUBLE PROMPTLY.

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Take Some Diapepsin Now and You Can Eat Your Favorite Foods Without Fear of Dyspepsia or Gas on Stomach—Heartburn or Other Misery.

Take your sour stomach—or maybe you call it Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50c case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your former misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite, pressure and fulness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, biliousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle, and nothing tempts you or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any, that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take some Diapepsin.

Gold Coin makes white bread.

## WETMORE WAS ELECTED

Member of Democratic National Committee From Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Col. M. C. Wetmore, of St. Louis, was elected Missouri's member of the democratic national committee at the meeting of the state committee Tuesday afternoon.

Chairman Harry M. Rubey was not present, he having gone to New York. Matters affecting party organization were discussed at length.


# PIMPLES

"I tried all kinds of blood remedies which failed to do me any good but I have found the right thing at last. My face was full of pimples and blackheads. After taking Cascarets they all left. I am continuing the use of them and recommending them to my friends. I feel fine when I rise in the morning. Hope to have a chance to recommend Cascarets."

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## AMUSEMENTS

SEDALIA THEATRE.

"Texas."

When a play is taken from life and written by a man that bears the reputation of always pleasing his followers, there is no question about its success and a long, prosperous life. Such a play is "Texas," written by J. Mauldin Feigl, and which will be presented at the Sedalia theater Friday night.

This is the fifth annual tour of the play and is this clever dramatist's third wonderful success within two years. The critics have done Mr. Feigl the credit of praising his play as the best western story ever produced to the theater going masses, and judging from the crowded theaters that greet the play when and wherever presented, the critics must have known what they were talking about.

As will be remembered, the story is not only one which appeals to the more literary class, but it appeals to the children and the fact that it is such a clean, wholesome story and does not display anything that could offend even the most fastidious.

The cast is a large one and numbers most all the original New York cast. The production is picturesquely presented and is massive.

Glee Club in Concert.

The people of Sedalia will have an opportunity to hear something far above the ordinary in the show that visits us on Thursday night, Feb. 11, when the combined Glee and Mandolin clubs from the University of Missouri give their concert in the new Sedalia theater. Selected from among two thousand men and from among twenty competitors for the same position, each surely does justice to his part. It is their sixteenth annual tour, and from all prospects it bids fair to surpass any in the past so far as music is concerned.

What May We Send You—From the Drug store? Call 14, either phone. Arlington Pharmacy.

Every day a bargain day at The Globe Clothing and Shoe store, 105, 107 West Main street.

## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

Grain Quotations.

Grain receipts—Wheat, 58 cars; corn, 33 cars; oats, 13 cars.

Wheat market—Unchanged to ½c higher. No. 2 selling at $1.03@1.08½; No. 3, $1.01@1.04½; No. 2 red, $1.13@1.16; No. 3 red, $1.13@1.14 Futures—May, $1.01⅜; July, 92¾c; Sept., 88c.

Corn market—Onelfourth to ¾c higher. No. 2 white, 61@61½c; No. 2 yellow, 58¾@59c; No. 2 mixed, 58¼@58¾c. Futures—May, 60½c; July, 60⅛c; Sept., 59c.

Oats market—Unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 49@49½c; No. 2 white, 50@55c

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 7,000; hogs, 17,000.

Live Stock Quotations.

Cattle market—Slow; 25@30c lower than last week. Best corn fed cattle, $5.65@6.15; medium corn fed cattle, $5.25@5.50; grass cattle weighing 1200 and upwards, $5.40@5.65; feeders, heavy, $5.00@5.25; light, $4.25@4.85; stockers, $4.15@4.75; cows, best, $4.25@4.75; medium, $3.50@4.00; heifers, best, $4.25@5.15; medium, $4.25@4.50; stock heifers, $3.50@3.75; stock calves, $4.00@4.65; veal calves, $6.50.

Hog market—Ten cents lower. Top, $6.45; bulk, $6.15@6.35. Choice heavy, over 250 pounds, $6.15@6.45; choice prime over 200 pounds, $5.85 6.40; choice light, over 100 pounds, $4.50@5.50.

## NEW YORK HORSE SHOW

Will Be Under the Management of Mr. Francis M. Ware.

New York, Feb. 3.—A horse show which is attracting a great deal of attention among eastern breeders will be held tomorrow and Friday evenings at the American Horse Exchange, under the management of Francis M. Ware.

Several novel classes are included in the prize list and the selling events especially seem worthy of attention as practical departures from the usual routine, and as a direct application of the principles on which horse shows are supposed to be organized.

Cash prizes will be given in all events and the money paid in the arena as the ribbons are awarded. The "jury system" of judging will be used.


# The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company,

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PURELY MUTUAL ANNUAL DIVIDENDS

Condition January 1 1909:

| ASSETS. | | LIABILITIES. | |
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| Loans upon real estate first lien | $23,457,441.03 | Amount required to reinsure all outstanding policies, net, company's standard, higher than that required by any state | $60,954,624.95 |
| Bonds at market value | 28,678,251.50 | Liability on account of lapsed policies not surrendered | 153,956.00 |
| Stocks at market value | 806,455.90 | Policy claims in process of adjustment | 357,846.80 |
| Loans upon policies of this company | 3,501,760.00 | Premiums paid in advance | 28,354.04 |
| Premium notes on policies in force | 346,861.19 | Dividends credited and left with the company at interest | 1,481,854.09 |
| Home office property | 1,916,236.00 | Real estate contingent depreciation account | 300,000.00 |
| Other real estate | 5,941,379.45 | Unearned interest | 103,905.46 |
| Real estate sold under land contract, balance purchase price | 548,863.52 | All other liabilities | 109,420.20 |
| Cash in banks | 1,001,023.15 | Surplus to policy holders | 4,170,029.12 |
| Bills received and agents' balances | 975.70 | | |
| Interest due and accrued | 996,036.69 | | |
| Rents due and accrued | 12,284.69 | | |
| Net uncollected and deferred premiums | 461,081.17 | | |
| | $67,662,589.99 | | |
| Less not admitted assets | 2,599.33 | | |
| | $67,659,990.66 | | $67,659,990.66 |

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## BETTING BILL IN MONTANA

Senate Would Prohibit Race Wagers Except at Regular Fairs

Helena, Mont., Feb. 3.—The senate in committee of the whole passed yesterday Donlin's bill prohibiting pool rooms. Betting on races, except at regular fairs, is also prohibited, foreign races being barred.

The bill was amended so that pools may be sold in any city other than the one in which the contest is being held, when both are conducted in Montana.

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Original cast of 25—Big picturesque production. Special music. Special effects. By permission of George Broadhurst, author of "The Man of the Hour."

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# NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS:

Please pay your Personal Tax for 1908 before Feb. 18, 1909.

Please pay your Real Estate Tax for 1907 before Feb. 18, 1909.

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bundle up all the flat pieces, send them to us along with your husband's linen.

We will wash and iron them, get them whiter and cleaner than you could, iron them with a nicer finish, fold them up nicely and deliver them ready to use, in a much shorter time than it would take you to do the same hard work at home.

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### Still Trying to Stop Action.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The president today sent for Senators Newlands and Nixon, of Nevada, and talked over the Japanese situation. The two senators would not talk, but it is understood that they were requested to get into touch immediately with the Nevada legislature and stop any further progress of the anti-Japanese resolution now before that body.

## PERSONALS

June Harris is at Holden today.

W. J. Sears is at Fayette today.

E. L. Cooter returned to Holden today.

H. B. Harnsberger went to Green Ridge today.

Pearl Teufel made a business visit at Stover today.

R. M. Wells was a passenger to Pilot Grove today.

W. E. Houck left today for Oklahoma on business.

I. N. Sprecher is at Green Ridge today on business.

L. M. Couch returned to Kansas City this morning.

J. A. Kenworthy was a passenger to Windsor today.

John Hicks, Jr., went to Pilot Grove this morning.

C. B. Wallace made a business visit at Smithton today.

John Bradley returned this morning from Mexico, Mo.

S. R. Payne is a business visitor at Pilot Grove today.

G. H. Pountain returned this afternoon from Jefferson City.

Harry Agee, of Lamonte, is a business visitor here today.

Hon. J. H. Bothwell returned this morning from St. Louis.

Mrs. C. I. Wilson is home from a visit at Fort Worth, Texas.

Ferd Johnson was a passenger to the Vine Clad City today.

John W. Sims went to Kansas City this afternoon on business.

Ernest Dugan left today for Cheyenne, Wyo., for a brief stay.

Patrick Connor, the Green Ridge stockman is here today, visiting.

Joseph Goehren, the tailor, made a business visit at Smithton today.

Harry Hawkins is making a business visit at Windsor and Calhoun today.

T. D. Rucker returned this afternoon from a business visit at Warsaw.

H. H. Vogts, of Kansas City, was a passenge here this morning on business.

Don Lamm returned to Jefferson City this morning, after a short visit here.

Thornton Greer, of Knob Noster, was a business visitor here last night.

J. S. Stone and W. B. Terry, of Houstonia, are business visitors here today.

Mrs. S. M. Ewart returned to Kansas City this afternoon, after a brief visit here.

Robert Bridges, Ross Feaster and Richard Clark, Windsor people, are here today.

C. W. Bivens, of Tecumseh, Neb., left for home today, after visiting friends here.

Will Logan returned to Kansas City this afternoon, after visiting home folks here.

Miss Lillian Beckert returned to Boonville this morning, after visiting Mrs. Elmo Werner.

Mrs. Harry Chilon, of Minneapolis, Minn., will arrive Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. F. Caskey.

Pete Hays returned to his duties at the state capital at noon today, after visiting home folks here.

Miss Harriet Lindsay returned to her home at Jefferson City this afternoon, after visiting Sedalia friends and relatives.

Mrs. H. F. Richter and child left today for Sioux City, Ia., to visit, after which she will go to South Dakota to join her husband.

W. H. Wallace, the real estate dealer, left this morning for a land buying tour of New Mexico, being accompanied by a party of five home-seekers.

Mrs. Mary Quinn and daughter, Miss Marie, arrived from St. Louis last night, and will accompany Mrs. Kate Hurley on her trip to Texas Thursday.

J. E. Fitzgerald, sovereign manager for the Missouri Woodmen, arrived from Kansas City this afternoon to meet with Sedalia camp No. 16, Woodmen of the World, tonight.

Mrs. B. M. Lodge left today for St. Joseph, called there by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. C. V. Hickman, who is in a hospital, after undergoing a surgical operation.


**Carpets, Rugs and Draperies, McKenzie's, 114 East Fifth.**


## FEARS INSANITY; KILLS SELF

### Member of Old New York Family Commits Suicide in Hotel.

New York, Feb. 3.—Horace Z. Butler, a member of one of the oldest families of Manhattan, died in Flower hospital yesterday from a bullet wound in the right temple, inflicted by himself with suicidal intent in a room at the Hotel Roland, where he had registered under the name of Horace K. Bird.

Butler, who had recently returned from a visit to his cousin, Thornton Kibbie, at San Jose, Cal., left several letters in which he declared that the fear of going insane had driven him of self-destruction.

## THE HOUSE WAS FIRED

### By the Tiny Stove Carried in a Young Girl's Muff.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—A miniature stove in a girl's muff set a house afire. The head of the house, Martin H. Waters, vice president of the Industrial Trust company, was buried yesterday.

The widow and four children accompanied the body to the grave, taking along a patent lamp to warm their hands.

When they returned one of the children, Mary, aged 9, having forgotten the lamp was in the muff, threw the fur aside. A half hour later the family were driven from home by flames.

## A HEAD-ON COLLISION

### Three Persons Were Killed and One Fatally Injured.

Chillicothe, Mo., Feb. 3.—Three men were killed and one fatally injured early today when two stock trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road collided head-on at Powersville, Mo., near the Iowa line.

From meager details it appears the crew of one train lost control of it. The dead are: Engineer John Stipp, of Chillicothe; Fireman James Brown, Ottumwa, Ia; T. F. Belcher, of Ottumwa.

Engineer Tom Kent, of Laredo, Mo., was fatally injured.


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## REV. HENDY TO WESTMINSTER

### Distinguished Divine Has Accepted College Presidency.

Rev. Dr. J. F. Hendy has accepted the presidency of Westminster college at Fulton, Mo., to succeed Rev. Dr. Kerr, says the Jefferson City Democrat.

Dr. Hendy has been offered the place a number of times, but has heretofore declined it. He is an old college president, and was at the head of Emporia college, in Kansas, before he came to this city, and prior to that was president of a famous college in Kentucky.

Westminster college is one of the leading institutions of learning of the Presbyterian church.

Dr. Hendy has for the present agreed to serve only until the close of the present school year. If the college can secure his services permanently it will be very fortunate, as Dr. Henry ranks with the leading educators of the country.


**Prescription Work**—Has most careful and prompt attention at the Arlington Pharmacy.


## BULLET WOUND IS FATAL

### Prisoner at Joplin Declares He Shot in Self-Defense.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 3.—Clyde Maynard, aged 27 years, died yesterday from a bullet wound sustained early Sunday morning, when he engaged in a quarrel at a local saloon.

William Delaney, of Smithfield, gave himself up to the police following the shooting and is being held. Delaney says he never saw Maynard prior to the difficulty.

"We had some trouble in the saloon just before it closed," said Delaney. "I left the place and Maynard followed me, throwing rocks at me and using abusive language. Neither of us was drunk. I was forced to shoot Maynard in self-defense. I did not know that he was dead until the police told me just now."


Flints! Newest and most varied, at Scott's.


## POSTPONE A LEGISLATURE

### One Member Is Too Busy With Fisheries Question.

St. John's N. F., Feb. 3.—Newfoundland's legislative session, summoned by Governor McGregor to begin tomorrow, will be postponed. Attorney General Kent is now busy with the fisheries question which recently took him to Washington.

As he holds a seat in the legislature, and without him the Bond government would be in a minority, it became necessary to postpone the gathering of the legislators.


Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. —Arlington Pharmacy.

# Shut Your Eyes

And see how you would like to go through the world with a black veil before them. That is what may happen if they need attention and you neglect them. You are taking great chances if you neglect them and still greater chances if you put them in the hands of unskilled spectacle venders. Fitting spectacles is our specialty.

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Its use SAVES TIME, SAVES LOSS, SAVES MONEY. The meat is preserved better; it is protected against mold and insects; it is not shrunken in weight.

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Edges and Insertion to match.

12½c to 15c grades, yard, **8⅓c**

17½c to 22c grades, yard, **10c**

25c grades, yard, **12½c**

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In from 2 to 4 widths and insertions.

In dainty neat baby sets—floral designs and large wide flouncings.

Regular 15c to 50c yard grades—

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Rich, beautiful designs and liberal widths. Regular 25c grades—

**12c½ Yd**

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Especially fashioned, and exquisite deep designs—

Regular 25c to 39c values, yard ..... **19c**

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Fashion has placed her seal of approval upon flouncings for Spring and Summer, '09, and this showing is your only opportunity to secure the choicest styles to be shown—

Regular 75c grades, yard ..... **39c**

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45 inch flouncings:—

Regular $1.75 grades, yard ..... **1.19**

Regular $2.00 grades, yard ..... **1.25**

Regular $2.50 grades, yard ..... **1.39**

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and fronts, the most beautiful possible for human hands to make—

$2.00 grades . **1.00**

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**Beadings**

12½c grades, yd.. **7½c**

15c grades, yd. **10c**

30c grades, yd. **15c**

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| Men's $5.00 Shoes, all leathers | 3.85 | Women's $3.50 Patent, Tan and Vici Shoes for | 2.85 |
| Men's $4.00 Shoes, all leathers | 3.15 | Women's $3.50 Gun Metal Shoes for | 2.65 |
| Men's $3.50 Shoes | 2.85 | Women's $3.00 Shoes | 2.35 |
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| 8½ lbs pure lard | $1.00 |
| 5 gallons best oil | 45c |
| Michigan salt, per barrel | $1.20 |
| Dry sugar cured ham, per lb | 13½c |
| Best hard wheat flour that money can buy, per cwt | $2.75 |
| One bushel choice potatoes | 85c |
| Three cans tomatoes and corn | 25c |
| One pound 25c coffee | 20c |
| One pound 20c coffee | 15c |
| Fresh side meat, per pound | 12½c |
| One gallon bucket syrup | 35c |

We have the largest and best stock of hay, straw, grain and mill feeds in the city.

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### Case Was Continued.

John Harris was arrested by a member of the constabulary today for disturbing the peace of Sallie Mason. Judge Rickman granted the prisoner a continuance until Friday at the request of counsel, Tom Carter.


## The Best Cough Cure

**A half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine, two ounces of Glycerine and a half pint of Whisky, mixed, will cure any cough that is curable and break a cold in 24 hours. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. Ask your druggist for the genuine Leach's Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure, prepared and guaranteed by the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.**

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**BUSINESS OR DRESS SUITS—NEWEST PATTERNS. LOEWER, TAILOR, 112 EAST THIRD.**


## SAMPLE MEDICINE KILLED

### Mrs. Buzard Died After Trying a New Kind of Corn Cure.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 3.—Mrs. Minnie F. Buzard, 64 years old, wife of Capt. B. F. Buzard, formerly chief of police of St. Joseph, died last night as a result of using a sample package of medicine she found on her front porch to cure a corn. The medicine caused blood poisoning.


**There is no flour just as good as Big "S." Insist on the "S."**

**Your Shirt orders solicited and appreciated. Mrs. Weiderhold, 416 Ohio.**


### Bought Team of Horses.

Fred Busch, the colored transfer man, today purchased from J. R. Baldwin a fine team of horses, which will be used in the transfer business.


**PISO'S**

**Coughing Spells**

are promptly relieved by a single dose of Piso's Cure. The regular use of this famous remedy will relieve the worst form of coughs, colds, hoarseness, bronchitis, asthma and diseases of the throat and lungs. Absolutely free from harmful drugs and opiates. For half a century the household remedy in millions of homes.

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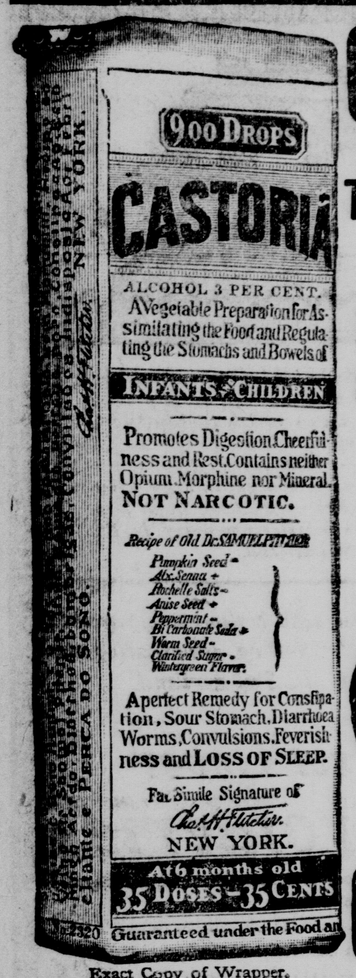
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## THOSE WHO LOVE MUSIC

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### ONE OF GREATEST COMPOSERS OF DAY

He Was Born in Hamburg, Germany, on February 3, 1809—Musical Ability Was Early Manifested—Sketch of Life and Work.

Berlin, Feb. 3.—Among that great galaxy of immortals given to the world by the year 1809, not the least was Jakob Ludwig Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, commonly known simply as Mendelssohn, one of the greatest composers of his time, if not of all time. He was born in Hamburg on February 3, 1809, and the centennial of his birth is celebrated today by music loving people the world over.

The birth of Mendelssohn followed by a few days that of Edgar Allan Poe, the genius of poetry and preceded by but a short time the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the master statesman, and Charles Darwin, the shining light of nineteenth century science. Chopin, the poet of the piano-forte, was born March 1, 1809, less than a month after Mendelssohn.

The great composer had distinguished ancestry, his grandfather, Moses Mendelssohn, having been famous as a philosopher and savant. His discussions of metaphysics were learned and exhaustive in style and are still widely read by German scholars. The philosopher had three sons. Of these, Abraham became a banker in Hamburg and married a Jewess, Lea Salomon Bartholdy. Of this union four children were born, and were educated as Christians. The second of these children was he who attained fame as one of the world's greatest composers.

Mendelssohn's musical ability was early manifested, and at the tender age of 9 we find him playing in public and executing almost perfectly the most difficult piano-forte parts. At 10 he became a student in a Berlin music school. At 11 he was a full fledged composer, his earliest dated work being a cantata completed in January, 1820. During that year he produced nearly sixty movements, and in the following year essayed five symphonies for stringed instruments, an opera, and an immense output of other musical works. Genius has seldom had such precocity as was evidenced by the music-mad Mendelssohn.

At the age of 16 his father took the boy prodigy to Paris, where he met Rossini, Meyerbeer, Hummel and many other artists of wide celebrity. Returning to Germany, the boy began work on what was destined to be one of his greatest successes, and at the age of 17 he had before him the finished score of the overture to "Midsummer Night's Dream." It was first publicly performed at Stettin, in February, 1827.

In 1829 the youthful composer began a system of tours arranged by his father. London was the first city visited, and the boy was given an enthusiastic reception. In 1830 he visited Italy, pausing on his way at Weimar for a brief but memorable visit with Goethe. For six years he traveled about England and the continent, working steadily upon the great compositions that grew into magnificent melodies under the magic influence of his genius.

At the age of 28 Mendelssohn married Cecile Charlotte Sophie Jeanrenaud, an amiable and beautiful woman. The honeymoon was spent in England, where the composer conducted his famous oratorio, St. Paul, at the Birmingham music festival.

In 1841, after a sixth visit to London, Mendelssohn was recalled to Berlin by the king of Prussia, who conferred upon him the title of Kapellmeister. The period that followed was marked by the production of some of his most famous compositions, but it was also accompanied by much vexation of spirit, and in 1842 he persuaded his royal patron to release him from some of his onerous engagements.

In 1846 Mendelssohn first produced Elijah, and in the following year he visited England for the tenth and last time, witnessing the first appearance of his friend and comrade, Jenny Lind, at Her Majesty's theater. Returning to Frankfort, he learned of the death of his sister, Fanny, and the blow was so great that he fell to the ground insensible. In vain his relatives and friends attempted to rally him from the spirit of melancholy that settled over him like a pall. His tender heart was broken, and his physical strength was not great enough to sustain him until the touch of time had healed the wound. On November 4, 1847, he died.

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### Mr. Daniels' New Location.

C. H. Daniels, who recently abrogated his lease for conducting a soda water fountain at the Bruce pharmacy, has secured a lease of the basement of the Flower-Barnett Dry Goods company, and during the latter part of this month will open and conduct a soda water fountain there.

Fountain Syringes—Of the highest grade, sold reasonably at the Arlington Pharmacy.

## GOOD-BY, MERRY WIDOW

'TIS NOT THE WOMAN OF COURSE, BUT THE HAT—TO THE GARRET FOR IT.

### THERE WILL BE NO BRIM TO HEADGEAR

New Models Look Like Inverted Flower Pot—Elegant Coiffures Demanded With Them—Meeting in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 3.—The merry widow hat, beloved by rhymesters and jokesmith's has been dethroned. The National Association of Retail Milliners has said the word that banishes the monarch of millinery concoctions to the limbo of last year's hats. What the jests and sneers and pleadings of benighted mankind failed to do, the milliners have accomplished.

Mme. Maerie, head of the reception committee for the National Association of Retail Milliners, which met last night in the Palmer house, sounds the death knell of the broad brimmed hat.

"It is not the mode correct," says madame, "and femininity, subservient ever to the edict of the milliner, humbly bows to the decree. The newest model in spring hats look like inverted flower pots. They are said to be copies of the fez-shaped hats of Servian officers.

"From Hungary to Servia is not as long a jump as it is from the 18-inch brims to the brimless shapes that will be in favor. These hats are of rough, highly finished straw. A jaunty military medallion of braid from which the gilt tassels drop below the edge of the hat is the sole ornament."

There are protests, of course, from the women who survey the new models. The merry widow and its sisters of mammoth proportions covered a multitude of sins—and puffs. The new hats demand slick, elegant coiffures. But the women will wear them just as they wore the other extreme of millinery.

### Dancing School.

Dancing taught every Friday night, Sedalia hall, direction Miss Hazel Hartshorn.

"Little Squaw" cigars, all dealers, 5c

### Burial of Mrs. Dudley.

The funeral of Mrs. G. R. Dudley, who died at Fort Worth, Texas and whose body arrived here last night, was held at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Martin, in Arlington Heights, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, burial being made in Crown Hill cemetery.

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## "JAP" GIRLS CELEBRATE

THEIR UNIVERSAL BIRTHDAY IS MERELY A PLEASANT FICTION.

### EVERY GIRL IN JAPAN HAS A DOLL TODAY

The Boys of Nippon Also Have a General Birthday, But It Does Not Come Until May 1—To Celebrate Then.

Tokio, Feb. 3.—Every little slant-eyed celestial of feminine persuasion in the empire of the Mikado is celebrating her birthday today, in accordance with the Japanese custom which regulates such affairs.

It is not that the Nippon stork has the strange habit of bringing all girl-babies on the same day of the year. The universal birthday is just a pleasant fiction of the papas and mammas of Japan, and one which is religiously observed.

Every little girl in Japan has a doll today, and some of them are wonderful creations which have been handed down from mother to daughter for many generations.

The boys of Nippon also have a general birthday, but this does not come until the first of May, and is celebrated with much more eclat than the day set apart for the girls.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

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### Initiate a Large Class.

A class of 123 applicants will be initiated into Sedalia camp No. 16, Woodmen of the World, at tonight's meeting.


## *What Ails You?*



**Do you feel weak, tired, despondent, have frequent headaches, coated tongue, bitter or bad taste in morning, "heart-burn," belching of gas, acid risings in throat after eating, stomach gnaw or burn, foul breath, dizzy spells, poor or variable appetite, nausea at times and kindred symptoms?**

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## BACK TO MINOR LEAGUES

Pitchers Who Have Been Playing With New York Giants.

New York, Feb. 3.—Two of the stars which have shone in the baseball firmament of New York for the last five years were transferred yesterday to clubs of other organizations. One of them is "Happy Jack" Chesbro, of the New York Highlanders. Indianapolis will claim him in the future if he cares to take up the burden of pitching for a club in the American association.

Luther Taylor, whose good-humored comicality on the ball field made him a favorite with the spectators, in spite of his inability to talk and hear, is wanted by Buffalo in the Eastern league, and the Giants have consented to his transfer to that organization. Taylor is the only player on record who is known to have objected to an increase in salary. This he did while with New York, believing that his work of a previous season had not been good enough to entitle him to it.

Rochester, of the Eastern league, has secured Beecher, a pitcher obtained by the Giants from Springfield, Ill., who was used occasionally during the summer of 1908 and was finally loaned to Newark, in the Eastern league, where he made a pronounced success.

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### Married Fifty-Five Years.

Mr. and Mrs. John May, of North Grand avenue for thirty-five years residents of this county, were married fifty-five years ago Tuesday. A celebration in honor of the event was held Tuesday, and all spent a pleasant day.


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"Our little daughter, six years of age, after a severe attack of the measles, which developed into pneumonia, was left pitifully thin, weak and emaciated. She had no appetite, and her stomach was so weak it could not retain food. She lay in this condition for weeks, and nothing the doctor prescribed did a bit of good, and we were beginning to think she would never recover.

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## A DEMOCRATIC JUBILEE

To Celebrate Success at the November Election.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—Democratic editors of Indiana will hold a meeting and banquet tomorrow to celebrate the success of the party in the last election.

Governor Marshall, the new democratic chief executive, and other democrats of national reputation, will address the "quil pushers."


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## MANY NEGROES ARRESTED

Carnival of Crime Against Young Girls Arouses Authorities of Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 3.—One hundred and twenty-six negroes were arrested last night following a carnival of crime against young white girls in the Herron Hill district recently. They were given hearings today. Forty-three proved that they have honest employment and were discharged. The remainder were fined and sentenced to the workhouse or held for investigation.

This afternoon a large number of negroes are indulging in much rabid talk, and i is rumored that should the authorities decide to make another raid, armed resistance will be offered.

## WAS THE GIRL STRANGLED?

Mrs. Mary Wright Charged With Murder of Beulah Wright.

Devil's Lake, N. D., Feb. 3.—In the trial here today of Mrs. Mary Wright, charged with the murder of Beulah Wright, aged 16, Mrs. John Boegel testified that she saw the body shortly after death, and there were finger marks on the girl's face.

The state alleges that Mrs. Wright strangled the girl and smeared carbolic acid on her lips to make it appear a case of suicide.

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Wanted—Clothes to press, dry clean and repair. The Owl Tailoring Co., 116 West Third. Bell phone 361.

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Wanted—Girl for housework, small family; good wages. 621 W. Fourth.

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## NOW NEARING THE DROUTH

Last Saloon in Clinton Will Close Thursday Night.

The last saloon will close on Thursday night at midnight, says the Clinton Democrat.

The new year found five liquid emporiums in full blast in Clinton. Four fell by the wayside in January when the county court considered the petitions and found them insufficient.

One year ago the Edwards "Senate bar," on the South side, was delayed a month in getting a license. This was counted a misfortune by the proprietor at the time, but it was really a piece of good luck for him, for while the Senate's petition went down with the rest, it was able to keep open a monh longer than the others, and as might be expected, has found it very profitable to be the sole oasis in the desert.

But at midnight on February 4th the Senate will close its doors, and the Great Drouth will be upon us.

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## MUST SERVE HIS SENTENCE

Supreme Court Affirms Decision of Cole County Circuit Court.

In the supreme court today the case of the State of Missouri vs. George T Olds, in an opinion of Judge James B. Gantt, the sentence of four years in the penitentiary was affirmed, says the Jefferson City Democrat.

It will be remembered that Olds was convicted here last April in the circuit court on a charge of displaying the sign of an honest occupation upon a common assignation and bawdy house in the upper two floors of the old City hotel building.

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For Sale—My residence at 1105 West Sixth street, C. E. Campbell. See Clyde Patterson.

Five-Room House—Lot 60x140 feet, 1014 Ohio street, for sale cheap.—J. D. Donnohue.

For Sale—Five room cottage at 612 Wilkerson street; cheap if sold at once. Bell phone 393.

82-Acre Farm—Seven miles north of Sedalia, all good cultivating land, fair improvements, at only $40 per acre; bargain.—J. D. Donnohue.

For Sale—All fixtures of Sedalia Drug Co., consisting of counters, show cases, shelving, soda fountain, light plant, etc.—C. C. Lawson, Trustee.

For Sale—Have two pianos; need but one. Will sell a D. H. Baldwin piano in good order, $65.00 cash, if taken at once. Call at 417 East Seventh street and see it.

For Sale—160 acre farm, ten miles from Sedalia; five room house, barn, good orchard, 50 acres prairie hay, 75 acres in cultivation, balance pasture; price $4,000.—W. H. Beach, Katie building Sedalia, Missouri.

## CHAUFFEUR GOES TO PRISON

A Boy Was Killed By Christine Musick, Driver for H. Clay Pierce.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—James Watson, chauffeur for H. Clay Pierce, must serve his sentence of one year's imprisonment and pay a fine of $1,000 for the death of Christine Musick, 12 years old.

The sentence was approved by the Missouri supreme court yesterday, according to special dispatches from Jefferson City.

Watson was the first person convicted in St. Louis of a criminal offense in connection with a motor car accident.

Hot Water Bottles—Family and Fountain Syringes are sold in the better and guaranteed grades at the Arlington Pharmacy.

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## UNCLE SAM SPRUNG SURPRISE

In the Town Lot Fraud Investigation at Muskogee.

Muskogee, Ok., Feb. 3.—The government sprung a surprise in the town lot fraud investigation today when it was announced that the probing of the grand jury would be extended to include alleged frauds in scheduling "individual blocks."

Many persons built fences around while blocks of land, claimed ownership on the ground that these improvements secured deeds to the land.

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### LOST

Lost—A watch charm, on East Third street at railway crossing. Return to 922 E. Third. Reward.

Lost—Combination card case and pocketbook, full leather, black, containing letters, membership cards and two $2.50 gold pieces. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

### FOUND

Found—Grammar School Arithmetic. Call at this office.

### SPRING FORK ITEMS.

Spring Fork, Mo., Feb. 2.

Quite a severe wind storm visited this section Thursday afternoon and night, which blew down windmills, hay stacks, sheds, etc. The wind was accompanied by rain and lightning, but late Thursday night the wind turned to the northwest and the snow began flying, which continued until Friday evening, which made Friday one of the most disagreeable days we have ever experienced in Missouri. The farmers whose windmills were blown down were Messrs. Jake Hicks, Mike Collins and Mike Sullivan and several others were somewhat wrecked.

Mrs. George Earp spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. David Earp, east of here.

P. J. Donahoe made a business trip to Sedalia Tuesday evening, returning Wednesday.

George W. Rider, wife and little daughter spent Tuesday with Isaac Elliott and family.

Thomas Donahoe, of Sedalia, is visiting relatives at this point and also enjoying the fresh country air.

William O'Farrell drove out to Cole Camp Wednesday.

Mesdames John Coffey and Mike Sullivan and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. O'Brien.

Regular services at Point Pleasant Sunday by Rev. Ray Walker.

Ezra Reed spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. David Earp.

Messrs. Ernest Cordes, Henry Logan and Charles Dump drove to the Queen City Monday.

Stockholders in telephone line No. 2, out of this place, will hold a meeting at J. Coffey's Wednesday evening.

G. H. Ray, who has been ill for some time, is no better.

Messrs. Thomas Donahoe and Peter O'Brien, Misses Josie O'Brien Marguerite Donahoe and Naomi Goodnight spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien.

Mrs. G. W. Funk returned home Sunday morning, after visiting relatives at Hughesville.

Mrs. Grover Ray and son, Milton, spent Monday with her father, Carl Reicke, and family.

Money—Money—Money.

If you wish to borrow money on real estate, or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man, 310 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

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## EVANGELIZE THE WORLD

TREMENDOUS PROJECT BY THE LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT.

### TO BE HELD IN MINNEAPOLIS THIS WEEK

Governor John A. Johnson Is Deeply Interested in the Conference and Has Promised to Participate.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 3.— To bring all the people of the entire world to a knowledge of the saving grace of christianity, and that within the present generation, is the tremendous project undertaken by the Laymen's Missionary Movement of North America, under whose auspices will be held in Minneapolis this week the most notable foreign missionary conference in the religious history of the northwest. Scores of distinguished delegates from all parts of the world are in the city today and the number will be largely augmented before the conference is formally opened tomorrow evening.

It is a new line of effort that has been inaugurated by the Laymen's Missionary Movement, as it is called, which sprang into existence without previous arrangement or planning. It grew out of a commemoration held at the Fifth avenue Presbyterian church in New York, Nov. 13 and 14, 1906, of the "Hay Stack" prayer meeting in Williamstown a century ago.

The campaign was projected for the evangelization of the world in this generation.

The reason for the movement can be briefly given as being occasioned by the inadequacy of the present extent and scope of missionary work. Notwithstanding the great triumph of modern missions, it yet remains true that while nineteen centuries have passed since Christ died there are still millions of people who have not yet heard that there is a Christ.

The special field of the movement is among the men of the churches, leaving the work among women, students and young people to others. The effort is not made to collect funds nor to send missionaries, but to help the present missionary boards. The plan and methods of work include a general committee of something more than 100 men, who meet semi-annually, and a national committee of fifteen men. In every city and large center of population an interdenominational co-operating committee is to be appointed to promote an aggressive and adequate missionary policy in all the churches of a district.

The conference will be opened with a dinner tomorrow evening, to be attended by leading laymen of all denominations. President Cyrus Northrup of the State University is to preside. A mass meeting will be held. Also denominational meetings at various churches, at which the speakers will be some of the most prominent foreign missionaries of the Baptist, Congregational, Episcopal, the Methodist and the Presbyterian missions who are on furloughs.

Governor John A. Johnson is deeply interested in the conference and has promised to participate. One of the notable speakers will be Lieutenant Colonel Elijah Halford, founder and for many years editor of the Chicago Inter-Ocean, also private secretary to President Harrison, and of late in the service of the regular army, stationed in the Philippines.

William T. Ellis an editorial writer on a prominent Philadelphia daily, who has recently returned from a tour of the world, during which he made a special study of foreign missions, is expected to be here.

J. Campbell White, who is regarded by many as the best posted speaker on foreign mission topics of this generation, is also announced, as well as B. F. Wilber, American consul general at Halifax, Nova Scotia, whose experiences while filling a similar post at Singapore, China, affords one of the most thrilling narratives in the history of missionary work, will be present.




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## PAYS $37 FOR A MINCE PIE

Stranger Bids High and Aids School Piano Fund.

Hutchinson, Kas., Feb. 3.—A mince pie sold for $37 at a pie auction at the Medford consolidated school fifteen miles northwest of Hutchinson. The pie was made by Mrs. Ed Huffman, and was bought by an "unknown."

The purchaser refuses to give his name for fear he may be disliked by the women whose pies drew only $5 or $10.

The auction was for the benefit of the piano fund of the Medford school, and fifteen pies brought $105. None sold for less than $1.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow packages.—Arlington Pharmacy.

White Ribbon for White Biscuits.

Plain Drunk Fined.

One plain drunk was fined $5 by Police Judge H. M. Gresham today.

## OBJECT TO A NEGRESS

Co-Eds of a College Object to Associating With Her.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Co-eds at the Congregational college at Wheaton are in a furore over the arrival at the fashionable institution of a young negro woman. The college authorities may have to take charge with a heavy hand in order to bring quiet out of the affair.

The young woman, Miss Nelly Bright, was recently put out of the Berea college, in Kentucky, as the result of enactment of a state law, and her advent in Wheaton threatens to precipitate the same struggle. The Berea college was prohibited from educating whites and blacks in the same class rooms. The United States supreme court upheld the legislative act.

Miss Bright's advent at the Wheaton school was looked forward to with much pleasure by the co-eds, no intimation of her race having been received.

COAL! COAL!!

Kansas, Windsor and Higbee coal, the best on the market. A good nut and slack at $2.50, fine for furnace and ranges.—Huston Coal Co. Phones 157.

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**WOMAN'S NATURE** is to love children, and no home can be happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering and dread that she looks forward to the hour with apprehension. **Mother's Friend,** by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, unpleasant feelings, and so prepares the system for the ordeal that she passes through the event with but little suffering, as numbers have testified and said, "it is worth its weight in gold." $1.00 per bottle of druggists. Book containing valuable information mailed free.

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Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder Disease not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

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Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes

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# Chasnoffs Chasnoffs

Sedalia, Mo., Feb. 3.—Fair tonight and Thursday; moderate temperature.

# Initial Showing



## OF NEW SPRING STYLE SKIRTS AND WAISTS

We announce the arrival of a number of beautiful new models in Spring Skirts and Waists. Our spring showing of handsome Altman Voile and Panama Skirts, handsomely trimmed, or nobby man tailored models and beautiful lingerie and Net Waists, the plain tailored Madras Waists and the daintiest materials and most exquisite styles and trimmings.

See Ohio Street Window Display

| | |
|---|---|
| $1.50 Beautiful Tailor-Made Waists | 97c |
| $3.50 Elaborate Lingerie Waists | 2.47 |
| $7.00 Handsome Net Waists | 4.65 |
| $10.00 Baby Irish or Comet Net Waists | 7.48 |
| $8.00 Trimmed Voile or Panama Skirts | 5.87 |
| $10.00 Chiffon Panama Skirts | 7.47 |
| $15.00 Handsome Altman Voile Skirts | 10.98 |
| $18.50 Exquisitely Trimmed Voile Skirts | 14.75 |


## HADLEY ON THE CONTEST

**The Recount Fair and Free From Political Influence, He Says.**

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Governor Hadley, in an interview last night, complimented the legislature on the settlement of the controversy over the election of lieutenant governor.

The governor said the recount was fair and no political partisanship had entered to prevent a fair investigation.

**A sack of Big "S" flour contains the best quality of flour, but no gifts.**

**Beggar to the Bastile.**

E. Ross, who was arrested several days ago for begging, under the pretense that he was deaf and dumb was given a twenty days' jail sentence by Judge Clark today.


**TO TRADE.**

A good house in Kansas City, Mo 7 rooms, modern, to trade for Sedalia property or farm with small encumbrance.

Good 7-room house, Des Moines, Ia. to trade par value. What have you

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## OPENED FLORIDA FAIR

**Race Meet Will Be the Greatest Ever Held in Southeast.**

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 3.—Governor Albert W. Gilchrist today opened the Florida state fair, the most complete exhibition of the industrial and commercial wealth of the state ever undertaken.

In addition to visitors from all over Florida, thousands of tourists from the east and north are in the city. The race meet will be by all odds the greatest ever held in the southeast, and has attracted hundreds of horse owners and track followers.

William Jennings Bryan will be here tomorrow as the guest of the fair management, and the Tampa Bay hotel and will be given a reception by the leading democrats of Florida. He will deliver an address at the laying of the cornerstone of Tampa's proposed Y. M. C. A. building.

**Ask for "Little Squaw" Cigars—5c**

New lot of marbles at Scott's.


# Henderson's Habit Back Corsets



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## "Front Laced"

THE front laced models are the culmination of the latest and best ideas in correct fashion. They remodel the figure, giving it a perfectly moulded back, giving it lines of grace and symmetry and the long, tapering curves which are so artistically beautiful. They reduce the full figure, giving it the flattened front and slender hip effects. They are absolutely hygienic and have the endorsement of the leading physicians and dressmakers.

We call special attention to the model illustrated which is made in two lengths; high bust, for the tall figure, and medium bust, for the shorter waisted stout figure. This model is extremely long over the back and hips. The extra lacing in the back from the waist-line down permits an absolutely perfect adjustment over the back and assists further in keeping the hips in perfect subjection, thus giving the so-called hipless effect.

We carry the front laced corsets in a varied line of materials, articles ranging from $2.50 to $3.50. We cordially invite the ladies of our city and vicinity to visit our corset department and inspect these most exquisite models. Consultation and fitting free.

OTHER MODELS

**$1.00 to $2.00**

**G. B. STOTTS & SON.**


## RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

WOMAN ALLEGES THAT A TRAIN PORTER PUT HER IN THE WRONG BERTH.

### COACH CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

**Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.**

Alleged carelessness of a negro porter in putting a man in the wrong berth of a sleeping car was the basis of a $10,000 suit brought in the federal court at New Orleans Tuesday by Mrs. Amelia M. Dubourg, of that city, against the Pullman company.

Mrs. Dubourg says she was severely injured by the man being put into her berth.

The occurrence is said to have taken place the night of January 22, while she was en route from Deming, N. M., to New Orleans.

**Will Norris Worked for Him.**

A. Galloway, chief inspector of trains and station service of the Southern Pacific, has been appointed general superintendent of the Ocean Shore railway, with office at San Francisco, Cal.

Mr. Galloway has been with the Southern Pacific five years, and previous to that had been superintendent of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton for eleven years.—Railway Conductors' Journal.

Mr. Galloway is a relative of Conductor "Mug" Lister, of this city. Conductor W. L. Norris, of the M., K. & T. here, worked under Mr. Galloway on the C., H. & D. a number of years ago

**Katy Station in Sixty Days.**

A. S. Clopton, of Parsons, Kas., chief of the bridge and building department of the M., K. & T., said yesterday to the Columbia Tribune:

"The new station will be done in sixty days, barring extraordinary weather. The station will be finished with tile wainscoting inside and will have face brick finish, with stone sills and trimmings."

Mr. Clopton left for Hannibal this morning. The concrete foundation is about ready for the brick layers and practically all the grading is done.

**Hurt in Tennessee Wreck.**

A head-on collision occurred near McKenzie, Tenn., Tuesday on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway between a passenger and freight train. There was no loss of life, but several people were bruised.

Both engines were demolished and the combination express and mail cars were telescoped. The engineers and mail clerks saved their lives by jumping.

**Capitalists Inspect Railroad.**

Former Gov. David R. Francis John Scullin, George L. Sands and Talton T. Francis departed from St. Louis Tuesday night for Southwest Missouri to inspect the progress of construction work on the Missouri extension of the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad, which is being built with St. Louis capital. They will be absent about five days.

**Former Sedalian Going Abroad.**

Former President Frank Trumbull of the Colorado and Southern, will take a trip to Egypt before assuming active control of the Chesapeake and Ohio property.

Years ago Mr. Trumbull was a clerk in the M., K. & T. general offices in Sedalia.

**Has Quit Railroading.**

Ernest Adkins, formerly a Missouri Pacific engineer, who resigned recently, has taken up telephone work, and went to Kansas City junction this morning in the interest of the Bell Telephone company.

**Automatic Couplers.**

O. G. Yancey, a Katy civil engineer returned today from Clinton.

Albert Rankin, traveling auditor for the Katy, went north on train No 2 today.

J. C. Brown, a railway mail clerk, came down from Kansas City this afternoon to visit home folks.

H. E. Mack, of St. Louis, superintendent of mails for the Missouri Pacific, is here today on business.

Arthur Frakes, roadmaster for the Katy, is taking a bicycle ride over the south end of the division today.

George Brittendall, division lineman for the Missouri Pacific, made a business visit at Boonville today.

Col. A. C. Miner, traveling passenger agent for the Katy, is at points on the Kansas City division today.

W. L. McCutcheon, claim agent for the Missouri Pacific, returned this afternoon from a business visit at Jefferson City.

James Myers, a former Missouri Pacific conductor, now working on the Katy, went to Jefferson City this afternoon to visit friends.

C. M. Hunt, trainmaster for the Missouri Pacific at Jefferson City, returned there this afternoon, after a business visit in this city.

J. W. Stewart, of Boonville, road master for the Missouri Pacific, arrived this morning to attend a monthly meeting of company "ums."

Walter Mann, of Jefferson City, chairman of the grievance committee of the Missouri Pacific B. of R. T., is here this afternoon on business

G. W. Smith, superintendent of machinery for the Missouri Pacific, in a special car, will spend tomorrow in this city, en route to St. Louis.

T. A. Wilson, superintendent of the M., K. & T. at Smithville, Texas, has resigned, effective at once, and Trainmaster C. M. Bryant succeeds him.

Conductor W. L. Norris, of the M., K. & T., who has been laying off for a month having his eyes treated by Dr. S. G. Kelly, reported for work today.

Harry Smith and Charley Avens, M., K. & T. brakemen, have been remarked on the call board, and are now registered in "Pick" Pennisten's class.

J. M. Chandler, roadmaster for the Missouri Pacific, and L. C. Marshall, assistant engineer, made a business visit at points on the west end of the road today.

Dr. J. Evans, who has been the Missouri Pacific surgeon at Wichita, Kan., for three years, has been promoted to take charge of the company hospital at Kansas City.


SEDALIA'S ONLY CASH CLOTHING AND SHOE STORE

**Special Sale No. 103.**

Mens' Cotton Flannel Gloves—10c Values, at Pair

**6¼c**

**ONE DAY ONLY.**

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MONEY'S WORTH OR MONEY BACK
Globe
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### SALOON THOUGHT NO. 67.

Knoxville, Tenn., a city about the size of Sedalia, shows this condition during two years' time, one year WET and one dry:

| | With Saloons. | Without Saloons. |
|---|---|---|
| Murder | 38 | 14 |
| Fraudulent appropriations | 119 | 31 |
| Carrying arms | 59 | 32 |
| Robbery | 29 | 8 |
| Drunkenness | 147 | 65 |
| Miscegenation | 10 | 4 |
| Beating board bill | 31 | 11 |
| Selling cocaine | 7 | 4 |
| Gaming | 9 | 4 |
| Grand larceny | 11 | 3 |
| Bigamy | 3 | 1 |
| Keeping disorderly house | 11 | 5 |
| Arson | 3 | 1 |
| Larceny | 240 | 212 |
| Rape | 3 | 2 |
| Highway robbery | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 721 | 397 |

Read the above carefully. Other cities are enjoying prosperity by saving their earning capacity and earnings, and poor old Sedalia is enjoying "SALOON PROSPERITY."

THE DRYS.


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Get Our Prices on Other Hardware Before Buying.

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## A BEQUEST FOR "JOHN D."

**John Crom, of New Jersey, Perpetrated a Joke on Oil King.**

New York, Feb. 3.—In the effects of John Crom, formerly of Shamong township, N. J., has been found the following will, duly signed, and executed March 15, 1906:

"I, John Crom, do hereby give and bequeath all my real estate and personal property, horses, cattle, gold mines, farms, railroads, steamships, canal boats, telegraph lines, oil wells, ocean cables, airships, cranberry bogs, cattle ranches, automobiles and also my castle in Spain, also my castle in the air, to John D. Rockefeller, providing he can find them.—John P. Crom.

"Signed in the presence of witnesses: William Handspring, Spring William, William Earlspring, William Cantspring and William Without-a-spring.

"This is to certify that I, John Crom, being in right mind, sign this my last will."

## NUDE BODY IN FALLEN TREE

**Mysterious Case Reported at Blytheville, Ark.**

Blytheville, Ark., Feb. 3.—The dead and almost nude body of an unidentified man was found yesterday morning beside Lumert Pavou, just outside the corporate limits of the city in the top of a fallen tree.

The body was burned about the back and the scattered clothing was all more or less burned. A pint bottle, one-third full of alcohol, and a revolver were found in the coat pocket.

The officers are in doubt as to the cause of death, as there is no wound of any kind on the body except the burns, and there is a difference of opinion as to whether these were caused by fire or acid.

Coroner Gibson is investigating the case. It is believed the man's name is W. M. Brewer and that his home is in Memphis, Tenn.

Valentines at Scott's.

## HE WAS 15 FEET HIGH

**Skeleton of Prehistoric Man of Gigantic Size Unearthed.**

New York, Feb. 3.—The skeleton of a prehistoric man of gigantic size has been found at a town ten miles southeast of the City of Mexico, according to news received here yesterday.

The discovery was made by a peon who unearthed the skeleton, which measured about fifteen feet in height It will probably be turned over to the national museum in Mexico.

The find has revived the Aztec legend that ages ago a giant race inhabited parts of the Mexican plateau.

**We guarantee the "Atlas" flour to be as good as Vigoral.**

## EGGS DROP SIX CENTS

**Normal Weather Will Bring Normal Prices, 'Tis Thought.**

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—The advance of 6 cents a dozen in the wholesale price of eggs during the storm last week attracted large shipments from the country, and prices were quoted down 6½ cents on the produce exchange yesterday, making "extra" eggs worth 32 cents and "current receipts" 28½ cents.

Dealers expressed the opinion that, with normal weather, quotations will continue to decline from time to time until normal prices are reached.


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# Embroidery & Muslin Underwear Sale

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21c For Ladies' Hemstitched Drawers

**BONDI BROS. & CO.** FIVE STORES

$1.19 Extra Large Gowns worth 1.50

**CHILDREN'S UNDERMUSLINS.**

**GOWNS.**

**24c** and 29c. Neat tucked yoke either slip over or button; good quality.

**39c** Tucked and ruffled yoke; well finished; ages up to 16 years.

**DRAWERS.**

**9c** Plain muslin, with wide hem and five pin tucks.

**11c** Muslin, with five tucks and hemstitching.

**24c** Cambric, with embroidery ruffle and several small tucks.

**SKIRTS.**

**19c** 24c and 35c. Fine soft cambric, in plain, with wide hem and hemstitched or fancy lace ruffle, and embroidery ruffle with tucks and hemstitching. Styles to fasten around waist or on yoke.

**CORSET COVERS.**

**19c** One lot fancy embroidery and lace trim, with ribbon beading; worth up to 49c.

**29c** and 39c. Fine cambric and Nainsook; fifteen pretty styles, trimmed with medallions, Val lace and ribbon beading.

**49c** to 69c. Many clever styles of fine Nainsook, prettily trimmed in rows of Val lace and embroidery insertion, with ribbon beading; worth up to $1.00.

**LADIES' GOWNS.**



**79c** Fifteen new styles of good cambric, in plain tucked and embroidery and lace rim; regular dollar gowns.

**89c** and 98c. The new Merry Widow gowns; also fancy lace and embroidery effects, in square and V yokes, and slip-over styles. Best $1.25 and $1.50 values.

**1.19** and $1.39. Sheer Nainsook, in slip-over, round and square yokes, Elbow and flowing sleeves; prettily rimmed in embroidery and Val lace, and ribbon beading. Regular $2.00 values.

**LADIES' SHORT SKIRTS.**

**35c** and 49c. Cambric, with either deep tucked and hemstitched or fancy lace and embroidery flounce; 75c qualities.

**EMBROIDERIES.**

At no place in the city will you find such a beautiful array of fine embroideries at popular prices.

Our laces and embroideries are ALWAYS imported by our own wholesale house of Mattoon, Ill. and thus saves you the "middleman's" profits, for we can sell at about the same prices that other stores buy.

**17c** Yd. 25 beautiful designs in wide corset cover embroidery; regular 25c and 35c qualities.

**5c** to 10c yd. Pretty new designs in Hamburg and cambric edgings specially priced for this sale.

**39c** to 59c yd Wide Swiss embroidery for corset covers, rich designs, worth up to 98c yard.

**39c** to $1.25 yd. Profusion of new patterns in Swiss embroidery flouncings; worth up to $2.00 a yard.

**25c** to $1.50 yd. Wide insertion for waist fronts; beautiful rich designs, worth up to $2.00.

**10c** to 24c yd. Fancy colored embroidery edging.

**43c** to $1.25 yd. New designs in allover embroidery.

# Spring Suits

The buyers for our five stores have been in the New York market more than a week selecting the spring styles in ladies' and children's outer apparel.

Our showing now in ladies' ultra fashionable suits is superb. All the new materials and color effects that will be in vogue for the coming season.

The prices, too, are one of the main features here, as we believe in giving our customers the BEST merchandise obtainable at the lowest possible cost.

Beautiful spring models priced at $15.00, $19.75 and $25.00.


**Country Home Burned.**

Mexico, Mo., Feb. 3.—Lakeview, the fine country house of the late George A. Morris, once a dry goods merchant of S. Louis, burned here today. Loss, $50,000.


**SMOKE MO. STATE FAIR CIGARS 5c**

**Gold Coin makes light bread.**

**SMOKE MO. STATE FAIR CIGARS 5c**

**Carpets, Rugs and Draperies McKenzie's, 114 East Fifth.**

**Call 14**—Either phone, for your wants from the Drug Store.

Arlington Pharmacy.

**Smoke "Little Squaw" Cigars—5c**

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**Supplies For the Home.**

office, factory or store. We are ready to furnish in anything that is needed in this line for lighting, heating, motor power, fans, telephones and indicators. Let us do your wiring for you and fit up your premises with electrical conveniences, and you will have the best service to be procured.

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## DRYS ARE IN THE SADDLE

PROHIBITION SUBMISSION PETITIONS BEFORE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

### THE "FLOODGATES" WERE OPENED TODAY

Want the Question Submitted at the General Election in 1910—Senator Humphrey Has an Original Measure.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.— The flood gates of prohibition submission petitions was opened in the house this morning, and in the first fifteen minutes several hundred were offered and referred to the committee on constitutional amendments.

Representative Deal, of Mississippi county, offered five petitions to start the ball rolling, and immediately at least fifty members were on their feet, demanding the floor.

The petitions all call for a submission of the prohibition issue to the people at the general election of 1910.

A like performance was enacted in the senate yesterday, when petitions from twenty-seven counties were reported.

In view of the tremendous pressure being brought to bear on members of both houses of the general assembly, there is no doubt that the submission resolution will pass the house.

A canvass of the senate shows a pronounced division. At least seventeen senators have expressed themselves as against the submission of a state-wide measure.

The Anti-Saloon league workers at the canital have not been advocating state-wide prohibition here. District option and a county unit law, whereby towns of over 2,500 are exempted from the general county option to be included hereafter, have been the objective points of the league's labor but the local workers are unanimously demanding a general state-wide election.

Senator Humphrey has in contemplation a statuatory prohibition measure which he will introduce soon. Senator Humphrey advocates a special election for the prohibition matter, in order that politics may be eliminated from the issue as far as is possible.

In case his measure should pass the election would be held early next fall.

The state-wide prohibition by constitutional amendment, however, appears to have the call at present. At any rate, the proposition is certain to be submitted in some form or other within the next eighteen months.

## A PLEASANT SURPRISE

At Home of S. M. Stanley, Chief Clerk at Missouri Pacific Shops.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Stanley were surprised Tuesday evening at their home, 1509 South Osage avenue, by a party of neighbors and friends ,numbering about thirty.

All met at the corner of Sixteenth and Osage at the home of Ralph Rhodes, and at 8 o'clock proceeded to the Stanley home, where they were admitted with pleasure.

After Mr. and Mrs. Stanley had regained their composure they set to work to help all to spend a jolly evening, and most admirably did they succeed.

Games of various kinds were indulged in, and music, both vocal and instrumental, added to the enjoyment of the occasion. It was a late hour when the guests departed, after having thanked Mr. and Mrs. Stanley for the enjoyable evening spent at their always hospitable home.

## MR. LAWSON TALKS TONIGHT

On "Organization" Before East St. Louis Business Men's Club.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

C. C. Lawson left at noon today for East St. Louis, Ill., where, tonight, he will deliver an address on "Organization" at the annual banquet of the East St. Louis Business Men's club.

Prior to his departure Mr. Lawson stated that the Merchants' Home and Industry association, which organization took that name at a meeting at Mr. Lawson's office Monday afternoon, and not Tuesday as stated by the Capital today, was meeting with great success in enrolling a membership of five hundred, and soon it is expected that the membership of the organization will compare favorably with that of any similar body in cities the size of Sedalia.

**Injured by Premature Explosion.**

Samuel Mahan, a 15-year-old son of Ira Mahan, of Lamonte, while shooting sparrows three miles south of Lamonte Tuesday, had his left thumb badly lacerated by the premature explosion of a shell.

**Prohibition Over the Veto.**

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 3.—The prohibition bill was passed by the senate over the governor's veto this afternoon. The measure will not reach the house before tomorrow.

## BARBER WAS POISONED

BELIEVED IT WAS CAUSED BY EATING MEAT SANDWICH ON TUESDAY.

### TAKEN SICK AT SUPPER HOUR LAST NIGHT

Dr. E. F. Staats Was Called to Attend the Patient, Whose Condition Today Is Still Very Critical.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Fred Freese, a barber at the Delmar hotel, living at 211 West Cooper street, is in a critical condition today as a result of ptomaine poisoning at his home yesterday.

Mr. Freese, who is 40 years old and has a wife and two children, purchased a sandwich at an Ohio street lunch wagon yesterday. About 6 o'clock last evening he was taken violently ill as a result.

Two hours later Mr. Freese grew worse and Dr. E. F. Staats was summoned, and after administering antidotes revived the patient, but he is still a very sick man today.

The attending physician pronounced the illness ptomaine poisoning, due to eating the sandwich.

## WAS THIS MAN DRUGGED?

Found in an Unconscious Condition This Morning.

From Wednesday's Daily.)

Ludger Lanthier, aged about 35 years, who claims New York city as his home, and who came here last night from Washington, Mo., was found unconscious in the yard of W. J. Smith's home, 517 North Osage street, by some colored people, this morning.

Dr. Barnum was called, and attended the patient, who did not regain consciousness until this afternoon.

Lanthier was in the company of a man from Higginsville last night, and was given a drink from a bottle that it is believed contained drugged liquor.

Whether the man was robbed was not known at the time the Democrat-Sentinel went to press.

## THE VACCINATION CASE

Was Decided Today Adversely to the School Board.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Judge Samuel Davis, of Marshall, today rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the mandamus proceedings of J. E. O'Bannon against the Sedalia school board, and an appeal was taken to the supreme court.

According to the decision, school children may attend school without being vaccinated.

C. E. Yeater and J. T. Montgomery looked after the board's interests, and G. W. Barnett and C. C. Lawson represented the plaintiff.

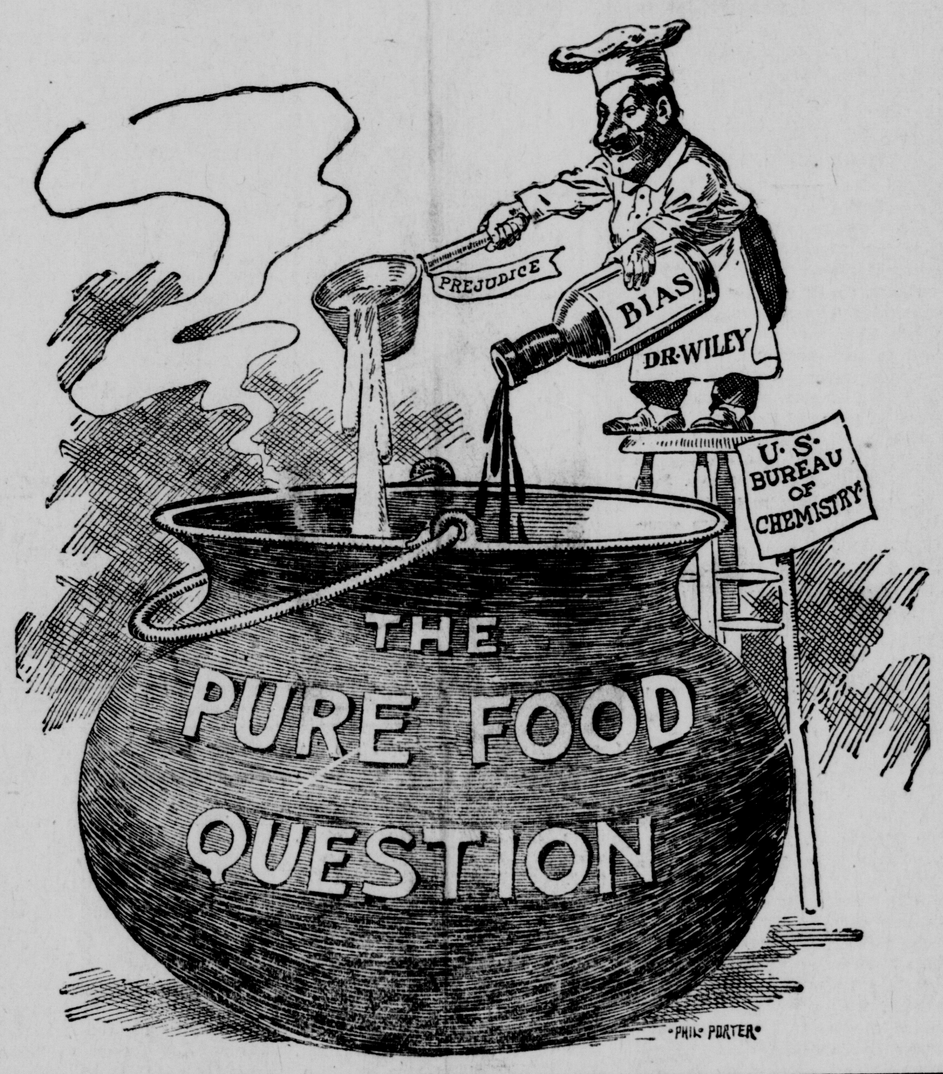
**Mr. Hall on Six Committees.**

Hon. Holmes Hall, senator from this district, is a member of the following senate committees, but if not chairman of either of them: Revision; life, fire and other insurance; accounts and miscellaneous law; retrenchment, reform, fees and salaries and criminal costs; printing and joint printing; engrossed bills.

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## MAKING A MESS OF IT




## DR. BRAYFIELD IS FREED

NO EVIDENCE AGAINST PHYSICIAN ACCUSED OF POISONING.

### ACTION MEETS WITH GENERAL APPROVAL

Many Believed Doctor Was Being Persecuted as Result of Village Lodge Gossip—There Was a Woman in the Case.

Benton, Ill., Feb. 3—In the Franklin county circuit court in this city yesterday, Dr B. F. Brayfield, the Milkeytown physician, was freed of the charge of murder placed against him by the November grand jury of the circuit court, when George A. Hickman state's attorney, dismissed the case

Dr. Brayfield was accused of causing the death of Reuben F. Parrish, the Milkeytown station agent for the Illinois Central railroad, who died last March, after a few days' illness.

The death of the doctor's wife a few days later caused the villagers to regard the matter with suspicion, and an endless chain of gossip soon began, which threatened to involve the doctor and Mr. Parrish's widow in a country town scandal, and eventually resulted in the doctor's indictment by the grand jury.

In discussing the case, the state's attorney gave out a statement emanating from Dr. C. W. Lillie, the East St. Louis chemist, who analyzed the stomach of Parrish to the effect that the results were negative of all forms of poison.

The sudden ending of the case meets with popular sentiment, many having regarded the matter as a persecution, believing the doctor to be innocent.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

By Brotherhood of M. E. Church, South, Last Night.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The Methodist Brotherhood of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, met in regular session last night, and after receiving regular communications, elected the following to membership:

Earl Martin, Dr. O. F. Hatton, Mathew Guthrie, A. L. Dickman, Chester Licklider and Will Hoffman.

The following officers of the Brotherhood were elected:

President—H. R. Camp.

First vice president—George D. Malone.

Second vice president—Charles Allen.

Third vice president—George B. Stotts.

Secretary—Robert Thompson.

Treasurer—Arthur Meuschke.

The organization meets on the first Tuesday night in each month, but a special meeting will be held on February 17 for the transaction of matters of interest to the Brotherhood.

**The Council Met Last Night.**

From Wednesday's Daily.)

Sedalia council No 891, Knights of Columbus, met last night and made arrangements for an informal dance, card party and bowling contest to be held for members only at the lodge home tomorrow night.

## BILLS, THEN MORE BILLS

THIS WAS THE ORDER OF BUSINESS AT THE STATE CAPITAL TODAY.

### 80 PR. CT. OF MEMBERS ON THEIR FEET

One Representative Got the Floor and Introduced Everything He Had in His Desk—Selling Liquor to Minors.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—When Representative Mitchell, of Polk county, suddenly arose from his seat, at 11:30 o'clock this morning, and asked consent to introduce a bill, 80 per cent of the members of the house leaped up as one man, and the torrent of bills suppressed for four weeks had broken loose.

No member was content with one bill. While he held the floor he introduced everything he had in his desk.

Thirty-six bills were filed in five minutes with no apparent difference in the number of members on the floor.

The house convened for the first time just four weeks ago today and the members are making up for lost time with a vengeance.

The first bill introduced by Representative Mitchell provides an additional penalty for selling liquors to minors.

The house took a recess at noon, with thirty members still on their feet.

**Government's First Suit Begun.**

Chicago, Feb. 2.—The first suit brought by the government against a railroad for violation of the federal law regulating the time of service of train dispatchers was filed today against the Santa Fe railway.

## HE VISITED MRS. GOULD

DUSTIN FARNUM, THE ACTOR, IS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN HER GUEST.

### ACCORDING TO DIVORCE DEPOSITIONS

Entertained Him in Her Apartments in a Hotel at Lynchburg, Va.—They Acted as a Gentleman and a Lady.

New York, Feb. 3.—Two more depositions on behalf of Howard Gould in the suit brought against him by Katherine Clemmons Gould for a separation were filed last night.

They were those of James G. Clark, a bell boy, and Clarence Pullen, a waiter, employed at the Hotel Carroll, in Lynchburg, Pa.

The depositions allege that Mrs. Could was a guest at the Lynchburg hotel in November, 1906, and that Dustin Farnum, the actor, who has been brought into the case through Mr. Gould's counter charges, was a guest at the same time, though they had apartments on different floors.

Both men testified that Farnum visited Mrs. Gould at her apartment at her request. Clark called him the first time soon after Mrs. Gould's arrival.

Pullen, the waiter, also called Farnum to Mrs. Gould's room, where the two had supper together.

The next day Farnum and Mrs Gould also took their meals together in Mrs. Gould's room, and Pullen waited on them. They left the hotel that afternoon.

Pullen was asked if any liquor was served at the meals and he replied that he served none and saw none in the rooms.

"Did you ever see any impropriety of any kind between Mrs. Gould and Farnum while in the hotel" asked Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for Mrs. Gould.

"No, sir," Pullen replied. "They conducted themselves as gentleman and lady, as far as my observations went."

## DR. GARTON IS HEARD FROM

Former Sedalian Well Pleased With His New Position.

Dr. A. M. Garton, formerly of the staff of surgeons at Maywood hospital, and later connected with the M., K. & T. railway hospital, who is now a member of the surgical staff of the Santa Fe railway hospital at Topeka, Kas., writes the Democrat-Sentinel, under date of February 2, that he likes his new location exceedingly well.

Among the staff of surgeons at the hospital is Dr. Bishoff, who took a six months' course of study at Vienna, Austria, and who while there made the acquaintance of Dr. Guy Titsworth, a former Sedalia physician, who is now studying in Philadelphia.

According to Dr. Garton's letter, Dr. Bishoff spoke very highly of Dr. Titsworth's ability, and predicted an exceedingly bright future for the genial young doctor, whose many friends will be pleased to learn this

**Will Head the Mine Workers Again.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—Thomas L. Lewis was today reelected president of the United Mine Workers of America by a majority of 16,000.

## KILLED A MAN IN COURT

YOUNG GIRL EMPTIED A REVOLVER INTO CROWD DURING A TRIAL.

### THE DEFENDANT IN THE CASE NOW DEAD

Three Others Were Badly Wounded, and Two of Them May Die—Girl Who Did the Shooting Says She Was Wronged.

Gatesville, Texas, Feb. 3.—Miss Verna Ware, daughter of a prominent farmer of this city, fired repeatedly into a crowded court room in this city yesterday, continuing until her revolver was empty.

As a result, John Haines, a merchant of Jonesboro, for whom the bullets were intended, is dead; two bystanders, James Smith and David Ross, are perhaps fatally wounded, and A. R. Wiley, Jr., is seriously wounded.

It was during the trial of Haines on serious charges prefered by Miss Ware that the shooting occurred.

Approaching a window, from which a view of the court room could be had, Miss Ware saw Haines among the spectators, and before sne could be restrained drew the revolver from the folds of her dress and fired.

Three of the bullets struck Haines, who died within an hour.

Miss Ware and her brother, Chas. Ware, were arrested.

## DEATH OF JAMES R. ELLIS

He Served in the Confederate Army During the Civil War.

James R. Ellis, one of the county's best known citizens, who was operated upon Monday for a tumor, died Wednesday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law, David Roberts, 114 West Jefferson street, aged 76 years.

Mr. Ellis was a native of Pettis county, he having been born on a farm near Lookout, and served in the Confederate army during the civil war. At the close of the war he returned to Pettis county and engaged in farming. The deceased is survived by the following children:

J. Wick Ellis, who lives nine miles north of the city; Mrs. Jane Greer, widow of former Policeman John T. Greer; Mrs. W. A. Stirlen, of Preston, Mo.; Mrs. Annie Martin, of Blackwater; Mrs. David Roberts, of this city, and J. P. Ellis, of near Hughesville.

The funeral arrangements had not been fully completed last night, but the services will probably be conducted at Mr. Roberts' residence Friday forenoon by Rev. F. Y. Campbell, pastor of the Firs Baptist church. The burial will be in the Ellis burying ground, near Lookout.

## CAME HERE AFTER A DIVORCE

Tiesus A. Fitzwater, Who Arrived in the City Last Night.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Tiesus Albert Fitzwater, a former Sedalia boy, now employed as a brakeman on the Union Pacific railway between Salina and Ellis, Kas., arrived home at 9:10 o'clock Tuesday night, and today employed W. D. O'Bannon to institute suit divorce from his wife, Edna Fitzwater, formerly Edna Sheldon, alleging desertion.

Suit will be brought in circuit court late this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzwater were united in marriage in this city on July 3, 1907, and separated on February 1, 1908.

## RECOGNIZED HIS FATHER

SIGHT OF PARENT LIFTS VEIL FROM THE MIND OF ROY C. PORTER.

### UNKNOWN FOR A PERIOD OF TWO WEEKS

The Young Man Found in Memphis, Tennessee, Does Not Remember Leaving Home of a Girl in Cameron, Mo.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 3.—The mysterious "unknown," who has been in Memphis for the past two weeks, is a mystery no longer. His name is Roy C. Porter, son of J. W. Porter of Ottawa, Kan. Sight of the father's face as he stepped into the office of Chief of Police O'Haver yesterday brought back to the clouded brain of the young man recollections of who he was. He recognized not only his own identity, but remembered also all the facts connected with his former life.

Only one thing is to his mind a blank. From Sunday night, Jan. 17, to 8:30 o'clock, when he remembers being in the parlor at the home of Miss Bertha Moore at Cameron, Mo., until he awoke in Memphis, Tuesday morning, Jan. 19, he knows nothing.

Roy C. Porter is 22 years old. He has been for two years superintendent of the American Sunbonnet Co. at Lathrop, Mo. He left there on the Sunday night of his disappearance to go to Cameron. He called on Miss Moore and the last thing he remembers was being at her home. How he got to Memphis or what happened to him after he left her house, he can not even make a conjecture about.

The father thought at first that the son might have been waylaid by another suitor for the hand of the young woman. The son does not place any credence in such a story. He says it is improbable.

**Porter Disappeared January 17.**

Lathrop, Mo., Feb. 3.—Roy C. Porter, foreman of the American Sunbonnet Co., of this place, who was identified in Memphis yesterday, purchased a ticket for Cameron and boarded a Burlington train on the night of Jan. 17, and has not been seen here since.

Young Porter was a business man of good habits and popular with the young people. At the time of his disappearance he was keeping house with his sister, and she was nearly distracted when her brother failed to put in an appearance next morning.

His employer communicated with the father, J. W. Porter, over the long distance telephone. The elder Mr. Porter came here but was unable to secure any information, and returned home with his daughter.

## "Y. M. C. L." ROOMS OPENED

Twenty-Seven Young Men Were Present Last Night.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The "Y. M. C. L." room was opened Tuesday night to the public from 7:30 to 10:30 o'clock and was visited by twenty-seven young men, thus showing their approval of a room of this character in which to spend their evenings.

It was a grand sight to see the assembly of young men reading, playing games and enjoying the music rendered by Mr. Meyers McClure, which more than once caused hearty applause.

At 9 o'clock refreshments were served by the young men, which were greatly enjoyed.

All left with a hand shake, assuring their presence soon again. Those in charge say:

"Should you be fortunate enough to have an open date, come and see us. Everything is free. We need your encouragement."

## CALIFORNIA PAPERS INDIGNANT

Complain at Eastern Criticism of State's Attitude.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 3.—The criticism of the eastern press on the anti-Japanese feeling in this state has aroused a storm of protest from the newspapers of California.

The papers of the state generally complain that the real attitude of the people is not understood in the east. Most of the papers regard the exclusion of the Japanese to be both necessary and inevitable.

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## CLEVELAND AND THE WAR.

The story of why Grover Cleveland did not go to war is told by George F. Parker in McClure's Magazine for February. Mr. Cleveland, who had been criticised for his order for the return of the battle flags taken during the Civil war, said to Mr. Parker:

"See how I am misjudged. It is charged in the press that I had no sympathy with the Union armies. When the war came there were three men of fighting age in our family. We were poor and mother and sisters depended on us for support. We held a family council and decided that two of us should enlist in the Union army and the third stay at home for the support of the family. We decided it by drawing cuts. The two long and one short pieces of paper were put by my mother in the leaves in the old family Bible. She held it while we drew.

"My two brothers drew the long slips, and at once enlisted, and I abided by my duty to the helpless women. Later on, I was drafted and borrowed a thousand dollars to hire a substitute, and it took years of hard work to repay that loan.

"So, of three men of fighting age, our family furnished three recruits to the Union army, and I would have been a monster if I had had no sympathy with that cause for which my brothers were fighting and for which I had sacrificed."

## THE SENATORIAL FIGHTS.

This has been a year of keen senatorial fights. In quite a number of states there have been contests that attracted national attention, and deadlocks in some which were broken only after prolonged balloting.

The east generally elected its senators peaceably and orderly. Delaware, fortunately, not having this unpleasant duty to perform this year. But in the central states thee have been some notable battles, not all of which have been yet concluded.

Ohio was threatened with a nasty fight, but it was averted at the last minute by the withdrawal of Charles P. Taft, who will await a more favorable opening.

The Hoosier democrats had a pretty contest for the rare plum, in which Vice Presidential Candidate Kern went down to probably the last of his innumerable defeats. Illinois had been balloting many days in a vain effort to decide whether Senator Hopkins shall be returned to Washington or kept at home where he belongs and the outcome is not yet in sight.

## CASE OF UNDERRATING.

"Advertising," sapiently observes the house organ of an advertising agency, "is that publicity which helps sell goods, and is of two kinds—creative and directive.

"Creative advertising is intended to create a demand that did not exist before; directive advertising is intended to direct trade for which a demand is already established, and which demand can not well be increased. To advertise salt will not increase the demand for salt."

Even enthusiastic believers in publicity sometimes underate its powers. The proposition that "to advertise salt will not increase the demand for salt" is open to dispute. There are a dozen domestic uses for salt, altogether aside from its employment as a seasoning for food, which are by no means generally understood. An educative newspaper campaign directing the attention of housewives to the subject would increase the consumption of salt as surely as publicity has enlarged the market for borax.

## PREVENTION BETTER THAN CURE.

The investigation of the Chicago crib disaster is developing some remarkable evidence of carelessness in the building of public works that must be disheartening to the people of Chicago, with the memory of the Iroquois theater scandal and disaster still fresh in their minds.

It has been shown that the crib, which was situated nearly two miles out in the lake, was constructed of highly inflammable material; that dangerous explosives were kept on hand and handled without even the usual precautions exercised in their use; that the floor of the crib was covered with oil which had been carelessly spilled and that the structure was in other respects a veritable fire trap.

To cap the climax of this accumulation of criminal negligence, the evidence brought out the astonishing fact that the tug, which was employed for the use of the contractors and the city, was frequently away from the crib for hours at a time. And as fate had decreed, the boat was off on one of these periodical jaunts when the accident occurred, though, fortunately, not a great distance away.

There is enough material in this investigation to keep Chicago aldermen and whatever public board and officials had jurisdiction of the water works project in hot water for some time to come, although it is hardly to be hoped that responsibility for this crime will ever be definitely placed.

There are so many ways of shifting the blame from one department to another and from one head to another, that the law will probably find itself baffled in the end, as it has been in so many cases of the kind, where criminal negligence was no less palpable and inexcusable.

The crib should have bene constructed with a view to fully protecting the many men who were employed in the perilous undertaking. It should have been equally guarded against usage and habits that might bring disaster, and above all, considering deplorable conditions that did exist, a vessel of some kind should have been constantly anchored at the crib for just such an emergency as resulted in the loss of upwards of fifty lives.

The grand jury will find much to occupy its attention in connection with the crib catastrophe, and in all probability indictments will be returned. Shrewd lawyers and procrastinating courts will, however, get them out of their trouble, and in a short time the "incident" will be forgotten.

The problem, after all, is not how to punish these offenses, but how to secure as public servants officials who will do their duty. Prevention is better than cure for civic diseases.

## THRIFT AND BOYS.

To every boy in Iowa who will make a pledge neither to use tobacco nor liquor, Samuel Saucerman, a wealthy Des Moines resident, will give $1, a cent a day for three years, and another dollar at the end of the three years.

At the same time, he urges the boys who accept his proposition to save the nickels and dimes they otherwise would spend for tobacco and alcoholic drink and put them with their account. He has figured out that if the boys will do this none will arrive at the age of 21 years without having enough to take them through college or give them a good start in life.

## BOOMING SIBERIA.

William E. Curtis, who has been about the world so much that he knows a great deal regarding every country, furnishes interesting information on many points. It has been stated from time to time that Siberia, commonly considered a bleak, barren and desolate country, admirably adapted for punishing exiled Russians for political and other crimes, is really rich in resources of many kinds. That it has vast tracts of the most fertile soil and a wealth of minerals of great variety and extent is beginning to dawn upon the initiated. Mr. Curtis, who has recently been there, adds to the testimony on this point. He alludes to various phases of active development, and among other things describes the new town of Novo-Nigolajevsk, at the junction of the Siberian railway and the Obi river, which has 10,000 inhabitants and is growing rapidly.

This town has come into existence so recently that it has no recognition on even the latest maps. The town is the center and shipping point for an agricultural region that is contributing largely to the world's supply of food products. Mr. Curtis says further that within a year, and while the world has been passing through a period of depression, at least 1,000,000 immigrants have moved into Western Siberia and are hard at work turning to account the advantages of the region.

Other towns are springing up and that part of the empire bids fair to become one of the most prosperous and fruitful sections of the czar's domains. Siberia, like Alaska, evidently was greatly misrepresented in the earlier days.

## SPRING FORK ITEMS.

Spring Fork, Mo., Feb. 2.

Quite a severe wind storm visited this section Thursday afternoon and night, which blew down windmills, hay stacks, sheds, etc. The wind was accompanied by rain and lightning, but late Thursday night the wind turned to the northwest and the snow began flying, which continued until Friday evening, which made Friday one of the most disagreeable days we have ever experienced in Missouri. The farmers whose windmills were blown down were Messrs. Jake Hicks, Mike Collins and Mike Sullivan and several others were somewhat wrecked.

Mrs. George Earp spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. David Earp, east of here.

P. J. Donahoe made a business trip to Sedalia Tuesday evening, returning Wednesday.

George W. Rider, wife and little daughter spent Tuesday with Isaac Elliott and family.

Thomas Donahoe, of Sedalia, is visiting relatives at this point and also enjoying the fresh country air.

William O'Farrell drove out to Cole Camp Wednesday.

Mesdames John Coffey and Mike Sullivan and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. O'Brien.

Regular services at Point Pleasant Sunday by Rev. Ray Walker.

Ezra Reed spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. David Earp.

Messrs. Ernest Cordes, Henry Logan and Charles Dump drove to the Queen City Monday.

Stockholders in telephone line No 2, out of this place, will hold a meeting at J. Coffey's Wednesday evening.

G. H. Ray, who has been ill for some time, is no better.

Messrs. Thomas Donahoe and Peter O'Brien, Misses Josie O'Brien Marguerite Donahoe and Naomi Goodnight spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien.

Mrs. G. W. Funk returned home Sunday morning, after visiting relatives at Hughesville.

Mrs. Grover Ray and son, Milton, spent Monday with her father, Carl Reicke, and family.

## VALDA ITEMS.

Valda, Mo., Feb. 3.

J. A. Elliott and daughter, Mrs. Arnold, were shopping in Sedalia Monday.

Miss Blanche Anderson spent several days this week with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Warren.

The older residents say that last Friday was the worst snow storm and the most disagreeable day they remember of seeing.

The little grandchild of Mr. Jordan, the Valda store-keeper, was badly scalded by overturning boiling water yesterday.

The two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wingate are seriously ill with pneumonia, and they feel real uneasy about the younger one. They are both under the care of Dr. D. P. Dyer, of Sedalia.

Miss Ielah Anderson, who has been on the sick list, is considerably improved.

The telephone company has everything settled and work will begin on the line next Tuesday. The line will be known as the Smith telephone line instead of the Stephens line, as was first thought.

## PLEASANT VALLEY ITEMS.

Pleasant Valley, Feb. 1.

Rev. Bruner filled his irregular appointment at Pleasant Hill church Monday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eicholz and two children, Dollie and Harry, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gartee and children.

Miss Blanche Reynolds was the guest of Miss Edith Van Dyke Sunday.

Rev. Bruner, Mrs. R. C. Anderson and daughters, Misses Mattie and Reta, took dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs L. J. Reynolds.

Mr. Robert Long, from Blackwater, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph.

Mrs. W. R. Bohon and daughter, Miss Lulu, were the guests of Mrs. George Blair Monday evening.

On account of the bad weather, very few young people were present at the party given by Mr. and Mrs. George Mosby Saturday night. A most enjoyable evening was spent. Among those who attended were the following: Misses Mayme Gillmore, Minnie Schneider, Lottie Woolery, Emma and Ida Dove, Messrs. Leslie and Russell Franklin, John and Oscar Dove, Charlie and Porter Henry, Henry, Charlie and Orville Nelson, Arlie Gillmore and Johnny Woolery.

Delbert Woolery spent a few days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Blair.

Arthur Garton is doing some carpenter work for his brother-in-law, George Yeager, of Smithton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Roberts have as their guests this week their daughter from Kansas.

Mr. Adam Baugh, of Sedalia, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Mosby.

Pat Foley, sr., sold his farm of 40 acres to Robert Mosby for $2,000.

Robert Mosby has sold 40 acres of land to the Eicholz brothers.

Miss Ruth Franklin visited Mrs. P. J. Foley Sunday evening.

## St. Louis Live Stock Market.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 2.—Cattle receipts 5,000. Supplies liberal at all markets. Trade opened generally 10c lower and closed fully 25c lower than yesterday or 10 to 15c below the close of last week. There was some demand at the decline early in the day for stuff that just suited buyers, but late in the day there was little or no call for anything, and a great many cattle remain in the pens unsold. We advise caution in marketing stock next few days. The trade is in no shape to stand a heavy run.

Hogs receipts 15,500. Market opened 30c lower than yesterday's high time; top, $6.70, and the late trade was 40 to 50c lower. Top at the close, $6.50. Bulk of all the hogs sold today will average 40c below yesterday's bluk. A good many hogs received today should have been on yesterday's market, but were delayed in transit, causing receipts to double up to a great extent. This serious break will undoubtedly check shipments during the next few days and a more settled and higher market should result.

Sheep receipts 2,500. Market 25c lower than yesterday. Top lambs, $7.50; top; top yearlings, $6.50; top sheep, $5.50, that price having been paid for a few small bunches which were better than anything on sale yesterday. Outlook steady in this department next few days.—National Live Stock Commission Company.

## HEXAMETHYLENETETRAMINE

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Remedy. Hexamethyleneteramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric acid solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady.—Arlington Pharmacy

## Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. L. N. Guild, at Tuesday afternoons meeting of the W. C. T. U., read a paper on "What the W. C. T. U. Is Doing." Mrs. J. E. Cannaday was elected legislative superintendent. The chief was kindly remembered with a family pipe, presented by Miss Lola Thomas. Refreshments of pie and fruits were served.





# LISTEN!

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## NOW NEARING THE DROUTH

Last Saloon in Clinton Will Close Thursday Night.

The last saloon will close on Thursday night at midnight, says the Clinton Democrat.

The new year found five liquid emporiums in full blast in Clinton. Four fell by the wayside in January when the county court considered the petitions and found them insufficient.

One year ago the Edwards "Senate bar," on the South side, was delayed a month in getting a license. This was counted a misfortune by the proprietor at the time, but it was really a piece of good luck for him, for while the Senate's petition went down with the rest, it was able to keep open a month longer than the others, and as might be expected, has found it very profitable to be the sole oasis in the desert.

But at midnight on February 4th the Senate will close its doors, and the Great Drouth will be upon us.

## Still Trying to Stop Action.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The president today sent for Senators Newlands and Nixon, of Nevada, and talked over the Japanese situation. The two senators would not talk, but it is understood that they were requested to get into touch immedictely with the Nevada legislature and stop any further progress of the anti-Japanese resolution now before that body.

## Mrs. Knight Was Hostess.

Mrs. Horace Knight entertained six tables of players at the home of Mrs. H. W. Knight, jr., on East Broadway, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. H. W. Servant won the club prize, a silver fork, and Miss Helen Spencer the guest prize, a handkerchief. Refreshments of cream pie, coffee and salted nuts were served.


C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed."—Arlington Pharmacy.


## Married Fifty-Five Years.

Mr. and Mrs. John May, of North Grand avenue for thirty-five years residents of this county, were married fifty-five years ago Tuesday. A celebration in honor of the event was held Tuesday, and all spent a pleasant day.

## Chief Boullt Is Aged 37.

W. H. Boullt, chief of police, was 37 years old Tuesday, and friends assembled at his home, on East Broadway, Tuesday night to celebrate the occasion. There were various games, and in awarding the prizes the guest of honor won the first prize, while J. E. O'Bannon won the consolation prize. The chief was kindly remembered with a family pipe, presented by Miss Lola Thomas. Refreshments of pie and fruits were served.

## A HEAD-ON COLLISION

Three Persons Were Killed and One Fatally Injured.

Chillicothe, Mo., Feb. 3.—Three men were killed and one fatally injured early today when two stock trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road collided head-on at Powersville, Mo., near the Iowa line.

From meager details it appears the crew of one train lost control of it.

The dead are: Engineer John Stipp, of Chillicothe; Fireman James Brown, Ottumwa, Ia; T. F. Belcher, of Ottumwa.

Engineer Tom Kent, of Laredo, Mo., was fatally injured.

## Burial of Mrs. Dudley.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The funeral of Mrs. G. R. Dudley, who died at Fort Worth, Texas and whose body arrived here last night, was held at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Martin, in Arlington Heights, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, burial being made in Crown Hill cemetery.

## Mr. Daniels' New Location.

C. H. Daniels, who recently abrogated his lease for conducting a soda water fountain at the Bruce pharmacy, has secured a lease of the basement of the Flower Barnett Dry Goods company, and during the latter part of this month will open and conduct a soda water fountain there.


Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. —Arlington Pharmacy.


## REV. HENDY TO WESTMINSTER

Distinguished Divine Has Accepted College Presidency.

Rev. Dr. J. F. Hendy has accepted the presidency of Westminster college at Fulton, Mo., to succeed Rev. Dr. Kerr, says the Jefferson City Democrat.

Dr. Hendy has been offered the place a number of times, but has heretofore declined it. He is an old college president, and was at the head of Emporia college, in Kansas, before he came to this city, and prior to that was president of a famous college in Kentucky.

Westminster college is one of the leading institutions of learning of the Presbyterian church.

Dr. Hendy has for the present agreed to serve only until the close of the present school year. If the college can secure his services permanently it will be very fortunate, as Dr. Henry ranks with the leading educators of the country.

## Hurt in Tennessee Wreck.

A head-on collision occurred near McKenzie, Tenn., Tuesday on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway between a passenger and freight train. There was no loss of life, but several people were bruised.

Both engines were demolished and the combination express and mail cars were telescoped. The engineers and mail clerks saved their lives by jumping.

## Capitalists Inspect Railroad.

Former Gov. David R. Francis John Scullin, George L. Sands and Talton T. Francis departed from St. Louis Tuesday night for Southwest Missouri to inspect the progress of construction work on the Missouri extension of the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad, which is being built with St. Louis capital. They will be absent about five days.


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# CONVICTS IN OKLAHOMA

SPECIAL TRAIN CONVEYS 300 FROM LANSING PRISON WITHOUT MISHAP.

## TWO HUNDRED LANDED IN VINITA JAIL

Others Placed in Stockade at McAlester—Prisoners Who Rebelled Were Placed in Dungeon for Time Being.

McAlester, Ok., Feb. 1.—The special train carrying 300 state convicts arrived here from Lansing, Kas., shortly after noon Sunday.

The train arrived at Vinita at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, where all the women prisoners and ten men were left in the federal jail.

Two hundred were taken to the new stockade north of this city and the remainder placed in what was formerly the federal jail, where more than 300 were already confined.

All the Oklahoma convicts are now within the borders of the state. Supt. Dick had thirty guards with him on the trip, and there were no mishaps. The convicts who mutinied here Thursday night have been thoroughly subdued, several of them being confined in the dungeon.

# CIRCUIT COURT ENTRIES

Those That Were Made on the Docket In Judge Hoffman's Court.

The following entries were made on the docket at today's session of the circuit court:

Joel D. Hubbard vs. Sedalia Trust Co., to declare tax bills void; judgment for defendant.

Richard Elliott vs. Mary Elliott, divorce; dismissed by plaintiff.

Hannah E. Parker vs. Hoyt Parker, divorce; decree for plaintiff, also custody of child.

Joel Chenoweth vs. Amy Windsor et al, to quiet title; decree for plaintiff.

John Charles Spickert vs. Mary C. Horn et al, partition; judgment by default for plaintiff.

Henry K. Bente et al vs. Catherine L. Landmann et al, dismissed at cost of defendant.

Thomas Lawler vs. A. F. Werner, damages; dismissed for failure to comply with rule of court.

### Assailant Was Killed.

Madison, Ind., Feb. 1.—Dee Brown went to the home of Henry Lochard last midnight and shot and seriously injured Lochard and fatally wounded Mrs. Lochard. As he was about to shoot Mrs. Lochard the second time he was shot and killed by Lochard.

Brown's divorced wife is Mrs. Lochard's sister, and it is thought the crime was the result of the wife's entering the suit.

### Will Have Two Clerks Each.

Jefferson City, Feb. 2.—The republican members of the house last night agreed in caucus to each take two clerks. They alloed the minority nine. This will put 187 on the house pay roll.

The caucus also decided to pay one of each pair of clerks from the day the legislature met, and the other from today, allowing the pair to arrange between themselves whether or not they divide the January pay.

# MUST PAY BACK $9,000,000

Gas Company Refused Rehearing on 80-Cent Gas Law.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The supreme court of the United States yesterday denied the application of the Consolidated Gas company of New York for a rehearing. The case involves the validity of the 80-cent gas law and was recently decided against the company and in favor of the law.

### People to Get Their Money.

New York, Feb. 2.—On receiving word from Washington of the supreme court's denial of a rehearing in the Consolidated gas case, Assistant Corporation Counsel Burr stated that the disbursement of the $9,000,000 rebates due consumers and deposited with United States Commissioner Shields and released by this decision, probably would begin before the end of the week.

### New Christian College President.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 2.—Mrs. L. W. St. Clair has accepted the presidency of Christian college, a school for girls here, to succeed Mrs. W. T. Moore, who resigned from ill health. She will take charge at the close of the school year.

Mrs. St. Clair resigned the presidency of Hamilton college, Lexington, Ky., last Friday. She was president of Christian college for ten years after 1893.

### Burial of Sidney Durley.

The funeral of Sidney Durley, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon H. Durley, of the Hughesville neighborhood, was held from the family residence this afternoon, the Rev. Chaney, of Independence, conducting the services. Interment was made in the High Point cemetery.

# BURN REFUNDING BONDS

A TOTAL OF $15,000 CONSUMED AT A MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

## CEMETERY BOARD MEMBERS ARE NAMED

May Pave Third Street From Lamine to Hancock Avenue—Other Improvements That Are Now Contemplated.

The bi monthly session of the "city fathers" was held at the council chamber Monday night, Mayor Babcock rapping for order promptly at 8:05 o'clock.

Alderman Andler was the only missing man, he being at Kansas City under a physicians care.

Clerk Baker read the minutes of the December meetings, which were ordered filed.

Fifteen refunding bonds of $1,000 each, recently ordered canceled, were openly burned by Chief of Police Boullt and Aldermen Johns and Hatton.

Following the burning, Mr. Johns moved that a warrant for $15,000 be drawn in payment of the bonds. The motion carried.

The water committees report was read and filed. It was not unusual.

The reports of officers for December were made as usual, being received and filed, on motion of Mr. Baker.

W. A. Fast and Mrs. E. A. Wood were confirmed as members of the board in charge of the citys burying grounds by a full vote of the council.

A bill for less than $30 for making repairs on South Kentucky avenue was presented by Contractor Johnson, through C. C. Kelly. The latter explained the situation, and on motion of Mr. Baker it was referred to the street and alley commitee.

A resolution for curbing both sides of Third street, from Lamine to Hancock avenue, was adopted.

Capt. S. C. Gold, through Mr. Ilgenfritz, asked that the city extend the curbing in front of his place of business two feet north, making the sidewalk width ten feet, similar to the width of the sidewalk on the opposite side of the street.

Plans and specifications for curbing East Third street were submitted by City Engineer Leaming. They were accepted.

Plans and specifications for paving the same thoroughfare in the specified territory were submitted by Engineer Leaming, being filed on motion of Mr. Baker.

A resolution to pave Third street, from Lamine to Hancock avenue, was adopted.

Specifications for paving Moniteau avenue and an estimate of 46 cents per lineal foot were presented by Engineer Leaming.

A resolution calling for the foregoing work was adopted.

Mr. Hatton asked that City Attorney Blain petition Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman to appoint a commission to assess damages accruing from the construction of the Southeast Sedalia sewer district. The request was granted.

Resolutions for curbing and paving Park avenue were asked for by Mr. Ilgenfritz and the city attorney received orders to prepare same.

All properly audited bills were allowed and warrants drawn in payment of same.

Council adjourned at 10 p. m.

### Shipments of Cattle.

William Binkley shipped Monday afternoon from Sweet Springs to St. Louis two car loads of fat cattle and one load of hogs, and John M. Curnutt shipped one load of extra fat cattle. The shipments were all Pettis county fed stock.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Store.

### Will Be a Master Mason.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 2.—Grand Master Charles S. Hopkinson, of the Masonic grand lodge of Ohio, has tendered to William Howard Taft the rare and high honor of being made a Mason at sight. The ceremony will take place February 18.

### Much Damage by the Storm.

Messrs. Sprecher & Monroe, insurance agents, have up to date received notices of twenty-two losses by cyclone in the county during the severe storm last Thursday night.

# GMELICH MAKES SPEECH

New Lieutenant Governor Amused Senate by His Humor.

Jefferson City, Feb. 2.—"Gentlemen, this is so sudden," is what Jacob F. Gmelich said in the senate chamber this morning when introduced by John C. McKinley, as the lieutenatn governor-elect.

Promptly at 11 o'clock Judge Gantt, of the supreme court, administered the oath of office, and the lieutenant governor, who was finally declared elected after four weeks' delay, proceeded to deliver one of his characteristic humorous and informal talks.

Several times the audience was moved to laughter at Governor Gmelich's sallies concerning the election and the ultimate decision of the committee.

A brief address was then made by John C. McKnley, the retiring lieutenant governor, and the senate passed unanimously a resolution thanking him for the fair courtesy and impartial manner in which he has conducted the affairs of his office. The senate then adjourned.

# WALTER MOREY'S SALE

To Quit the Farm and Will Sell All of His Property.

Walter Morey will offer for sale on the old Major Gentry farm, three miles northwest of Sedalia on Tuesday, February 9, 1909, all of his personal property.

The farm having been sold and Mr. Morey going to quit farming, everything offered will be disposed of to the highest bidder.

The sale will include about fifteen head of mares, geldings and filleys. A number of milch cows, thirty-six head of coming 2-year-old stock heifers and other cattle; six head of Duroc-Jersey brood sows in pig and fifty head of shoats; forty high grade Shropshire ewes, twenty head of registered Shropshire ewes and a number of yearling bucks eligible to registration.

All the machinery on the farm will be offered for sale. Dinner will be served on the grounds. Read his ad in another column and attend the sale.

### This Gas Company Turned Down.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The supreme court of the United States today denied the application of the Consolidated Gas Co. of New York for rehearing. The case involves the validity of the eighty cent gas law and

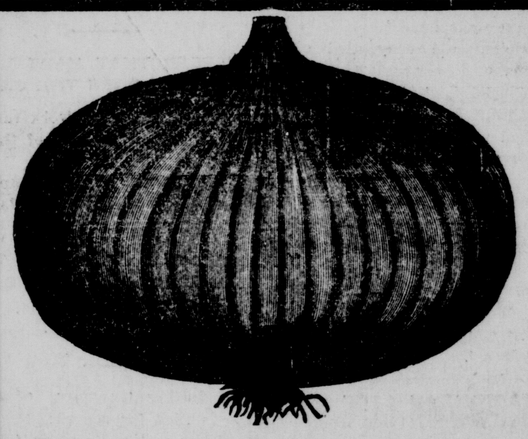
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### Town Entirely Cut of Coal.

Aberdeen, Saskatchewan, Feb. 1.—The worst storm of the season is raging here, and the town is completely out of coal. All traffic is blockaded

### Sent in a Renewal.

J. H. Bobbitt, of rural route No. 2, Houstonia, has sent in a renewal for the Daily Democrat-Sentinel.



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# ROAD OVERSEERS NAMED

They Will Serve Until January 31, 1910—Appointments Made Today.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The Pettis county court this afternoon appointed the following road overseers to serve in the respective districts until January 31, 1910:

No. 1—Harley Benscoter.
No. 2—C. R. Kelley.
No. 3—F. M. Chaney.
No. 4—L. S. Tevis.
No. 5—P. M. Wilcoxen.
No. 6—E. E. Williams.
No. 7—L. U. Johnson.
No. 9—Joseph Delap.
No. 10—Joseph Heffelfinger and George Bodenhamer, deputy.
No. 11—Joseph Elliott.
No. 12—Hiram Swope.
No. 14—R. L. Ellis.
No. 15—A. H. Holdner.
No. 16—J. C. Embree.
No. 17—J. P. Sink.
No. 18—Ell Palmer.
No. 19—M. A. Buckley.
No. 20—S. C. Connor.
No. 21—C. W. Waybright.
No. 22—Wm. Lovelace.
No. 23—L. H. Haggard.
No. 24—Herbert Lytle.
No. 25—S. A. Kendrick.
No. 26—A. J. Farley.
No. 27—F. M. Tucker.
No. 28—Walter Bennett.
No. 29—E. K. Moffett.
No. 30—Fred Looney.
No. 31—Robert Anderson.
No. 32—A. H. Gilmore.
No. 33—Louis Demand.
No. 34—August Weller.
No. 35—A. C. Zimmerschied.
No. 36—Grover Ray.
No. 37—R. L. Hampton.
No. 38—C. M. Davis.

No appointments were made for districts Nos. 8 and 13.

# SURVEY FOR ELECTRIC LINE

Engineers Begin Preliminary Work on Warrensburg Road.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb.2.—For the purpose of running a line to Warrensburg, Mo., in contemplation of building an electric road to Warrensburg touching intermediate points, a surveying party left Independence yesterday. It is expected that the survey will be finished in four weeks, and then figures can be produced as to the

Carson, Nev., Feb. 2.—The state assembly yesterday passed a bill providing that applicants for divorce in Nevada must be residents of the state for two years, instead of six months, as heretofore.

### No Race Suicide in Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—If there is such a thing as race suicide in Chicago outside of certain highly colored novels and individual opinions, at least the Chicago board of education has not found it out.

President Schneider declares that Chicago shows a natural increase of 5,000 children of school age every year, and that to take care of the increase, the plans for forty-six new school buildings and additions to be built at a cost of nearly $9,000,000 within the next three years has been adopted.

### LINCOLN ITEMS.

Lincoln, Mo., Feb. 4.

Lawyer D. Brunjes, of Cole Camp, was here on business this week.

Hogan Brothers, of Bethany, Mo., arrived here last Tuesday with a car load of household goods and farming implements, they having recently bought two farms south of town.

Several new residences will be erected here this spring.

William Baskley, a merchant of Palo Pinto, was here on business this week.

Jack Price purchased the Charles Lusner property here this week, and will move into the same in a few weeks. Uncle Jack says Lincoln is on a boom and he has come to stay.

Mrs. P. D. Hastian came in from Sedalia last Monday, and went to her home near Palo Pinto.

It is reported here that the peach crop has been killed by the recent cold weather.

We are informed that Lincoln will install an electric lighting plant in the near future. Our town needs water works badly, or some means of lighting fire.

Samuel Henry, of Windsor, was here this week, transacting business for the Home Insurance Co.

Telephone lines were disabled on account of the severe storm of last week.

### Mrs. Steele to Give Recital.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mrs. W. D. Steele left at noon today for Jefferson City, where, at the governor's mansion tomorrow morning, she will give a musical recital in the presence of the Ladies' Musical club of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Steele will also read a paper on "Indian Music" before the club, and while visiting at the state capital will be the guest of Mrs. J. B. Gantt, wife of Judge Gantt, of the supreme court.

### Fifty Witnesses Are Called.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Judge Landis has subpoenaed fifty witnesses for the second trial of the government's case against the Standard Oil company, of Indiana, the first hearing of which resulted in a fine of $29,240,000 against the company.

The trial will start in Chicago before Judge A. B. Anderson, of Indianapolis, February 23, who consented to preside at the request of Judge Landis.

# BAD FIRE IN KANSAS CITY

The Total Loss Was $150,000 and the Insurance $131,000.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb 2.—Property valued at $150,000 was destroyed by a fire which started in the basement of the old three-story brick building at the southwest corner of Tenth and Main streets at 9 o'clock last night.

The entire stock of Rothschild & Sons, clothiers, valued at $120,000, was practically ruined; the building, owned jointly by J. S. Loose and the Soden estate, and valued at $300,000, was gutted, and its walls will have to be torn down; the Mitchell studio, on the third floor in the north wing of the building, was destroyed, and the outfit of Dr. Ho Ly Yuen, a Chinese physician, went with the flames.

A. A. Pearson's millinery stock at 1010 Main street, also was slightly damaged by water.

The total insurance is $131,000.

### KNOBNOSTER ITEMS.

Knobnoster, Mo., Feb. 4.

Mrs. John McIntosh and daughter, Miss Nina, attended the funeral of her niece, Ruby Mae Reece, at Sedalia, last Saturday.

The wind last Friday blew down several awnings and unroofed a few barns.

Miss May Early, of St. John, Kas., was visiting relatives and friends in this city last Saturday and Sunday.

The funeral of Mrs. Mark Kidney, who died at her home in this city Monday, took place from the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon. Elder C. W. West, of Rockville, conducted the services.

There was no school last Friday on account of the high wind.

A. M. Craig was in Kansas City Tuesday on business.

Will Rosebrough has sold his farm and will move to Florida some time in March.

Miss Allie Denton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lida Westbrook, at Houstonia.

John L. McKibbon was in Sedalia Wednesday.

"A Noble Outcast, or the Convict's Daughter," will be played at the opera house Thursday, February 4.

Don't forget to buy your home-made candies and doughnuts of Misses Ford and Denton.

The funeral services of Mrs. Alice Brendle, who died at her home in this city Monday, took place from the Presbyterian church Wednesday, conducted by Rev. A. K. Price.

Robert Thompson, of Sedalia, was the guest of his son, Elmer, Tuesday.

Rev. E. Haymaker, of Centerview, preached two sermons at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Obe Whitsell has sold his farm of 220 acres for $11,000.

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# A COUPLE DIED TOGETHER

HAD OFTEN EXPRESSED WISH THAT THE END WOULD THUS COME.

## MARRIED 45 YEARS; HAD 16 CHILDREN

Mrs. Caroline Stoll Falls Dead on the Street in St. Louis and Husband Follows Kneeling Over Her.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 2.—Sebastian Stoll and his wife, who had often wished that when the time came they might die together, dropped dead upon the street Sunday night. They were walking together, she clinging to his arm and talking.

Suddenly the wife put her hand to her heart and said she felt as if she were smothering. She sank to the sidewalk. The husband ran into a house for help and returned at once to the side of his yife. She was lying upon the sidewalk.

The husband, who had cared for her through the forty-five years of their married life, got down upon his knees on the icy sidewalk, bent over and kissed her lips and never rose again. He fell across her body, dead.

They had died within five minutes of each other.

The couple had grown up together in Germany, were lovers all their lives and died together, and thus their wish was fulfilled.

The Stolls lived at 3543 Salena street, where he had a little tailor shop. He was 67 years old. She was a year younger. They had been married forty five years and had sixteen children, all of whom except one are dead. The living one is Leonard Stoll, of 3525 South Broadway.

Frank Denzl, who had a tailor shop in the same house with Sebastian, was their life long friend. He was their neighbor in Munich and knew them before they were married. He was at their wedding and he came to this country twenty-five years ago and within a year sent for them. He said Monday:

"It was only Saturday that Mrs. Stoll, a woman with a beautiful sweet nature, said to her husband in my presence, 'Sebastian, I hope that if you die first I shall not be long behind you. We have lived so happily together I do not wish to live without you.'

"And Sebastian said the same thing. They both had heart trouble and lately they talked a good deal about death and often I have heard them both say that they wished they might die together as they had lived together. They were very much devoted to each other. I never saw so loving a couple."

Sunday afternoon the old couple went to the home of Mrs. Marx, on McDonald avenue, to play pinochle. They were returning at 10 o'clock and it was in front of 3619 McDonald avenue that Mrs. Stoll dropped to the sidewalk. Mr. Stoll ran into the home of Mrs. Caroline Ottensmeyer at that number and called for help. Conrad Binger ran out with him. Mr. Binger says:

"I went with him to where his wife lay on the walk. The old gentleman cried out as if he was in pain when he saw her. He ran to her and fell to his knees and bent down and kissed her and called her name, 'Caroline, Caroline.' Then he kissed her again and he just straightened, sort of sank down over her and lay still. When I went to raise him up I saw that he was unconscious, and I saw that the woman was dead.

"Then it was my turn to become excited and I called for help, too. The neighbors came running out, and among them was a physician, who said that both were dead."

The physician said they died of heart disease.

Mr. Denzl said Monday that Mr. and Mrs. Stoll had seen much trouble, but it had not soured their lives.

"Their sorrows seemed to sweeten their lives instead of making them morose. The death of fifteen children had been a deep sorrow to them and Mrs. Stoll often talked of the time when she would meet them again in the other world, and she always said, 'Sebastian, I want that we should go together to meet them,'" said Denzl.

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# THE VACCINATION CASE

Judge Bradley Continued the Hearing Until Tomorrow.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Judge "Sam" Davis, who was called to sit in the mandamus proceedings of J. E. O'Bannon against the Sedalia school board, to compel the latter to permit his children to attend school without being vaccinated, this afternoon continued the hearing of the case until tomorrow morning.

The plaintiff filed a demurer to defendants' return to alternative writ, the same being heard and overruled.

The plaintiffs practically withdrew their contention for internal vaccination, in a statement made by Lawyer Geo. W. Barnett.

# GOT SATCHEL AND $1,000

Placed It Behind a Counter While Eating His Lunch.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—A daring daylight robbery was perpetrated in the downtown district yesterday when a satchel containing nearly $1,000 was stolen from behind the cashier's desk in a restaurant at 77 Randolph street.

R. S. Swain, auditor and collector of the restaurant, which is one of several conducted under the same management, had made the rounds of the other places and had stopped to eat lunch.

A man diverted his attention, and a second man thereupon seized the satchel and fled.

# WORK AGAIN FOR 600 MEN

Iron Plant Resumes After Suspension of Four Months.

Pittsburg, Feb. 2.—Following a suspension of four months, the forge and bolt plant of Newcastle, Pa., resumed operations yesterday, affording employment to 600 men.

### With Two Tugs as Rudders.

New York, Feb. 2.—With the lower part of its rudder broken off by heavy seas which were encountered in mid ocean, the American liner St. Louis reached port yesterday, having been steered by its twin screw since the accident.

The two lower sections of the rudder were carried away in a southwesterly gale Thursday afternoon. The speed of the ship was reduced to thirteen knots an hour for the remainder of the gale and until the rough seas subsided.

The St. Louis came up the harbor under its own steam, towing two tugs which acted as rudders.

### The Fire Loss Monday.

Stanton Elliott, whose home and furnishings, nine miles north of Sedalia, were totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin Monday, while Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were attending the Ezell funeral, sustained a loss of $600. The house, which was owned by Lon Durley, of Hughesville, was a $1,500 loss.

### Mrs. Adam Fischer Married?

The Democrat-Sentinel has received a letter from Kansas City, asking that the paper sent to Mrs. Josie Fischer, widow of Adam Fischer, sr., at 1218 Forest street, Kansas City, be changed to Mrs. Josie Fischer Keys, 5429 Calumet avenue, Chicago.

The letter would indicate that the former Sedalia lady, whose maiden name was Josie Stephens, and who was reared in Bunceton, Cooper county, is again a bride, but nothing is known here regarding the gentleman whose name she now bears.

### County Court in Session.

The judges of the county court are in session today, but no business of importance was transacted up to 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else?—Arlington Pharmacy.

# SEVERAL DEALS IN DIRT

TRANSFERS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN BOTH THE CITY AND COUNTY.

## WHAT THE COUNTY RECORDS SHOW

Deeds That Have Been Filed in the Office of Recorder Morey During the Week Ending February 2, 1909.

The following transfers of realty have been filed for record:

Allie Hoar and husband to John H. Pregge, wd., 90 acres of land in Dresden twp., $3,000.

Henry S. Demand and wife to Ed H. Schlotzhauer, wd., property in the town of Smithton, $1, and other considerations.

Dietrich Bluhm and wife to Thomas A. Bluhm, wd., 90 acres of land in Smithton twp., $6,300.

Thomas A. Bluhm and wife to Geo. E. Cooke, wd., 39 acres of land in Smithton twp., $2,360.

Third National bank to Henry E. Huston, wd., property south side of Third street, betwten Park and Quincy avenues, $550.

Homer W. Robbins and wife to William H. and A. Annie Brown, wd., property north side of Main street, between Quincy and Prospect avenues, $725.

Florence H. Gobrecht and husband to Bertha Peightel, wd., property east side of Park avenue, between Fourth and Sixth streets, $3,500.

E. M. Miller and wife to E. W. Miller, qcd., property in the town of Hughesville, $900.

M. J. Love and husband to Elizabeth Lennartz, wd., property east side of Moniteau street, between Wilkerson and Third streets, $600.

E. R. Blair and wife to William and Edith I. Todd, wd., 160 acres of land in Smithton twp., $5,000.

William Todd and wife to E. R. Blair, wd., property northwest corner of Sixth and Quincy streets, $4,000.

W. S. Cotton and wife to E. Jennie Morey et al, wd., 235 acres of land in Bowling Green twp., $20,000.

E. Jennie Morey et al to W. S. Cotton, wd., 184 acres of land in Cedar twp. $13,440.

E. Jennie Morey to W. S. Cotton wd., 440 acres of land in Cedar twp., $32,560.

James R. Cooke and wife to William E. Cooke, wd., 40 acres of land in Smithton twp., $1,000.

Pacific Realty and Improvement Co. to George H. and Jessie Laible, wd., poperty north side of Harvey street between Harding and Gentry avenues, $200.

Ernest Winston and wife to A. A. Scarbrough, wd., 80 acres of land in Blackwater twp., $4,000.

Mrs. Kate Perdue to Walter S. Lytle, wd., 60 acres of land in Elk Fork twp., $2,100.

# EGGS DROP SIX CENTS

Normal Weather Will Bring Normal Prices, 'Tis Thought.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—The advance of 6 cents a dozen in the wholesale price of eggs during the storm last week attracted large shipments from the country, and prices were quoted down 6½ cents on the produce exchange yesterday, making "extra" eggs worth 32 cents and "current receipts" 28½ cents.

Dealers expressed the opinion that, with normal weather, quotations will continue to decline from time to time until normal prices are reached.

# WETMORE WAS ELECTED

Member of Democratic National Committee From Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Col. M. C. Wetmore, of St. Louis, was elected Missouri's member of the democratic national committee at the meeting of the state committee Tuesday afternoon.

Chairman Harry M. Rubey was not present, he having gone to New York. Matters affecting party organization were discussed at length.

### The Fee Bills Are Allowed.

From Wednesday's Daily.)

The judges of the county court today allowed the criminal fee bills for January, amounting to $551.75.

### Circuit Court Entries.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Entries on the docket in the circuit court today were:

Agnes Amanda Appleby, divorce; decree for plaintiff and $25 alimony and $25 suit money allowed, and execution ordered.

Rose vs. William Tepper, divorce; decree for plaintiff, also custody of daughter, Elsie, and $25 suit money, defendant to pay plaintiff $10 per month for maintenance of child until her eighteenth birthday.

W. H. vs. Carrie Jackson, colored, divorce; petition filed.

### Katy Station in Sixty Days.

A. S. Clopton, of Parsons, Kas., chief of the bridge and building department of the M., K. & T., said yesterday to the Columbia Tribune:

"The new station will be done in sixty days, barring extraordinary weather. The station will be finished with tile wainscoting inside and will have face brick finish, with stone sills and trimmings."

Mr. Clopton left for Hannibal this morning. The concrete foundation is about ready for the brick layers and practically all the grading is done.

# TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

### Grain Quotations.

Grain receipts—Wheat, 58 cars; corn, 33 cars; oats, 13 cars.

Wheat market—Unchanged to ½c higher. No. 2 selling at $1.03@1.08½; No. 3, $1.01@1.04½; No. 2 red, $1.13@1.16; No. 3 red, $1.13@1.14 Futures—May, $1.01⅝; July, 92¾c; Sept., 88c.

Corn market—Onelfourth to ¾c higher. No. 2 white, 61@61½c; No. 2 yellow, 58¾@59c; No. 2 mixed, 58¼@58¾c. Futures—May, 60½c; July, 60⅛c; Sept., 59c.

Oats market—Unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 49@49½c; No. 2 white, 50@55c

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 7,000; hogs, 17,000.

### Live Stock Quotations.

Cattle market—Slow; 25@30c lower than last week. Best corn fed cattle, $5.65@6.15; medium corn fed cattle, $5.25@5.50; grass cattle weighing 1200 and upwards, $5.40@5.65; feeders, heavy, $5.00@5.25; light, $4.25@4.85; stockers, $4.15@4.75; cows, best, $4.25@4.75; medium, $3.50@4.00; heifers, best, $4.25@5.15; medium, $4.25@4.50; stock heifers, $3.50@3.75; stock calves, $4.00@4.65; veal calves, $6.50.

Hog market—Ten cents lower. Top, $6.45; bulk, $6.15@6.35. Choice heavy, over 250 pounds, $6.15@6.45; choice prime, over 200 pounds, $5.85 6.40; choice light, over 100 pounds, $4.50@5.50.

# WHO SENT THE ARMY $10?

That Sum Was Received in a Letter This Morning.

To the Democrat-Sentinel.

The Salvation Army's special meetings are still going on, with much interest, though no one being saved, but we are believing for greater things from God.

This week there is to be a special effort put forth to save the drunkard. Different ones will speak who have been saved from a drunkards life.

Outsiders are interested in our work and know that in order to keep our hall opened that we must have finances. Just before making out our books this morning and wondering where the money was coming from to pay the rent that was due, we received a letter with $10 in it, telling us to use it to carry on our work and help rescue precious dying souls.

The donor undoubedly didn't want the left hand to know what the right hand doeth, as there was no name signed; but we thank the friend and pray God to bless them much.—Lieuts. Burkholder and Vancil.

# BOARD NAMED C. C. GENTRY

As One of Commissioners of Twelve-Mile Road District.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The board this morning elected unanimously C. C. Gentry as commissioner of the Twelve-Mile Road district to succeed George T. Menefee, whose term had expired.

It is the universal expression of all that the selection was a wise one, as the appointee is one of the county's best citizens and business men.

He resides five miles northwest of the city, a section that has never before been represented on the board, but will be in close touch by telephone.

### Relative of H. C. Frick Dead?

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 2.—Frank Frick, 59 years old, in whose pocket was found a note which said he expected to die suddenly and that he was a first cousin of Henry C. Frick, of Pittsburg, Pa., of the United States Steel corporation, died in the rear of a saloon here last afternoon.

Death was caused by heart disease. Frick had been employed as a laborer in the mines south of Joplin.

# GOOD-BY, MERRY WIDOW

'TIS NOT THE WOMAN OF COURSE, BUT THE HAT—TO THE GARRET FOR IT.

## THERE WILL BE NO BRIM TO HEADGEAR

New Models Look Like Inverted Flower Pot—Elegant Coiffures Demanded With Them—Meeting in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 3.—The merry widow hat, beloved by rhymesters and jokesmith's has been dethroned. The National Association of Retail Milliners has said the word that banishes the monarch of millinery concoctions to the limbo of last year's hats. What the jests and sneers and pleadings of benighted mankind failed to do, the milliners have accomplished.

Mme. Macrie, head of the reception committee for the National Association of Retail Milliners, which met last night in the Palmer house, sounds the death knell of the broad brimmed hat.

"It is not the mode correct," says madame, "and femininity, subservient ever to the edict of the milliner, humbly bows to the decree. The newest model in spring hats look like inverted flower pots. They are said to be copies of the fez-shaped hats of Servian officers.

"From Hungary to Servia is not as long a jump as it is from the 18-inch brims to the brimless shapes that will be in favor. These hats are of rough, highly finished straw. A jaunty military medallion of braid from which the gilt tassels droop below the edge of the hat is the sole ornament."

There are protests, of course, from the women who survey the new models. The merry widow and its sisters of mammoth proportions covered a multitude of sins—and puffs. The new hats demand slick, elegant coiffures. But the women will wear them just as they wore the other extreme of millinery.

# MUST SERVE HIS SENTENCE

Supreme Court Affirms Decision of Cole County Circuit Court.

In the supreme court today the case of the State of Missouri vs. George T. Olds, in an opinion of Judge James B. Gantt, the sentence of four years in the penitentiary was affirmed, says the Jefferson City Democrat.

It will be remembered that Olds was convicted here last April in the circuit court on a charge of displaying the sign of an honest occupation upon a common assignation and bawdy house in the upper two floors of the old City hotel building.

### Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss
County of Pettis }

In the Circuit Court of Pettis county, February 3, 1909, February term, 1909.

W. H. Jackson.....Plaintiff
vs.
Carrie Jackson.....Defendant

Now, at this day comes the plaintiff herein, by his attorney, Homer G. Phillips, and files his petition and affidavit, alleging among other things, that defendant, Carrie Jackson, is a non-resident of the state of Missouri, and that her present whereabouts are unknown to the plaintiff; whereupon it is ordered by the court that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against her in this court, the object and general nature of which is to procure a divorce from the defendant on the grounds that defendant has offered plaintiff such indignities as to render his condition intolerable, and also that defendant was guilty of the crime of adultery, and unless the said Carrie Jackson be and appear at this court, at the next May term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house, in the city of Sedalia, in said county, on the first Monday of May, next, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Weekly Democrat-Sentinel, a newspaper printed and published in Pettis county, Missouri, and designated by the plaintiff, four weeks successively, the last insertion whereof shall be at least fifteen days before the commencement of the said May term of this court.

Attest: C. W. DAUGHERTY.
(SEAL) Circuit Clerk.

A true copy from the record.
N. W. KENNEDY, D. C.

Homer G. Phillips, plaintiff's attorney.


# Sale of Undermuslins & Embroideries

Continues this week, and if you require anything in these lines we advise you to buy now because the values are truly extraordinary.

9c Child's Tucked draw'rs

BON TON BONDI BROS. & CO.

43c Ladies' 75c Gowns.




LADIES PETTICOATS.

79c Good quality cambric; with deep embroidery and lace trim flounces; several styles, and every one worth $1.00.

98c and $1.39. Fine soft cambric; deep flare flounces of several rows of lace insertion and edge, and others with deep embroidery flounces headed with insertion and tucks. The best $1.50 and $1.75 values.

CHEMISE.

79c and 98c. Fine soft Lingeric, daintly trimmed in lace and embroidery and ribbon beading; regular $1.00 and $1.50 values.

1.49 and $1.98. Made of fine Nainsook richly trimmed in Val. lace and ribbon beading; regular $2.50 values.

OUT SIZE GARMENTS.

Extra Large Gowns.

69c Good quality and finished with neatly tucked yoke, 1.00 value.

98c and $1.19. Good quality cambric, with plain tucked yoke or fancy embroidery and tucked effect; worth $1.50.

Extra Large Petticoats.

98c Deep embroidery flounce, with several rows tucks; regular $1.50 skirt.

Extra Large Drawers.

29c Good quality cambric, with deep embroidery or plain tucked and hemstitched ruffle.

LADIES' DRAWERS.

21c Made of good quality muslin, deep tucked and hemstitched ruffle.

29c and 39c. Fifteen styles of good cambric; deep embroidery or plain hand-finished edge and hemstitched ruffle; also fancy lace trim effects; values up to 65c.

49c The new "Circular" or "Isabella" drawers; fine quality cambric and very deep embroidery tucked ruffle; regular 75c kind.

## Embroideries

SNOWY WHITE DAINTY PATTERNS AT TEMPTING PRICES.

19c Wide Corset Cover Embroidery in variety of new designs; 25c and 35c qualities.

5c to 10c yd. Pretty new designs in Hamburg and cambric edgings specially priced for this sale.

39c to 59c yd Wide Swiss embroidery for corset covers, rich designs, worth up to 98c yard.

39c to $1.25 yd. Profusion of new patterns in Swiss embroidery flouncings; worth up to $2.00 a yard.

25c to $1.50 yd. Wide insertion for waist fronts; beautiful rich designs, worth up to $2.00.

10c to 24c yd. Fancy colored embroidery edging.

43c to $1.25 yd. New designs in allover embroidery.

## Cotton Goods

EXTREMELY LOW PRICES FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

10c Full size, good quality bleached PILLOW SLIPS

1.00 FOR 12 YARDS HOPE BLEACHED MUSLIN.

7c yd. One lot India linen; regular 10c quality; other prices up to 50c yard.

49c BED SHEETS; full size, 81x90; bleached, seamless; hemmed ready for use.

17c yd. Imperial Sea Island Nainsook; fine, soft quality; regular 25c grade.

13c yd. PERSIAN LAWN; good quality, worth 19c; other grades priced at 24c and 39c.


### Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States, Central Division of the Western District of Missouri:

In re, Charles H. Redman, bankrupt.

To the creditors of the above named bankrupt of Sedalia, in the county of Pettis, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 3d day of February, 1909, the said Charles H. Redman was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, 112 West Fouth street, in the city of Sedalia, on the 15th day of February, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may poperly come before said meeting.

JOHN MONTGOMERY, JR.,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Sedalia, Mo., Feb. 3, 1909.

### No Federal Judge Pensions

Washington, Feb. 2.—By a vote of 82 to 63 the house yesterday declined to suspend the rules to pass the senate bill to pension federal judges who have served ten years in any federal court upon reaching the age of 70 years, at the same salary payable to him at the time of his resignation.

### Zipfel Aeroplane Flies a Mile.

Berlin, Feb. 2.—Armand Zipfel, the French aviator, succeeded yesterday in making a flight in his aeroplane of nearly a mile, at an altitude of sixty feet.

Wanted—Elderly lady who is not capable of earning a living who wants a good home; light work. Address F. O., care this office.

# THE HOUSE WAS FIRED

By the Tiny Stove Carried in a Young Girl's Muff.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—A miniature stove in a girl's muff set a house afire. The head of the house, Martin H. Waters, vice president of the Industrial Trust company, was buried yesterday.

The widow and four children accompanied the body to the grave, taking along a patent lamp to warm their hands.

When they returned one of the children, Mary, aged 9, having forgotten the lamp was in the muff, threw the fur aside. A half hour later the family were driven from home by flames.

### Taft Is Still Inspecting.

Culebra, Panama, Feb. 2—President-elect Taft and his corps of engineers left here today for the site of the Gatum dam. The day will be spent in making a thorough inspection of the work at that point.

The Pacific entrance of the canal will be inspected Wednesday.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow packages.—Arlington Pharmacy.

### No South Dakota Suffragettes.

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 2.—The house yesterday defeated a bill granting the right of the ballot to women. The bill had been passed by the senate.



# SPECIAL SHOE SALE

***Our object in conducting this sale is not profit, but to close out as quickly as possible, REGARDLESS of PROFIT, all Fall and Winter Shoes, in preparation for Spring.***

*Such price reductions as we offer make it an object for you to buy, not only for your present requirements, but in anticipation of your future needs.*

**Just Run Your Eye Over These Inducements—Can You Stay Away?**

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| Men's $5.00 Shoes, all leathers | 3.85 | Women's $3.50 Patent, Tan and Vici Shoes for | 2.85 |
| Men's $4.00 Shoes, all leathers | 3.15 | Women's $3.50 Gun Metal Shoes for | 2.65 |
| Men's $3.50 Shoes | 2.85 | Women's $3.00 Shoes | 2.35 |
| Men's $3.00 Shoes for | 2.35 | Women's $2.50 Shoes for | 2.05 |

**QUINN BROS.,**

**206 OHIO.**


## HE WAS 15 FEET HIGH

**Skeleton of Prehistoric Man of Gigantic Size Unearthed.**

New York, Feb. 3.—The skeleton of a prehistoric man of gigantic size has been found at a town ten miles southeast of the City of Mexico, according to news received here yesterday.

The discovery was made by a peon, who unearthed the skeleton, which measured about fifteen feet in height It will probably be turned over to the national museum in Mexico.

The find has revived the Aztec legend that ages ago a giant race inhabited parts of the Mexican plateau.

## WAS THE GIRL STRANGLED?

**Mrs. Mary Wright Charged With Murder of Beulah Wright.**

Devil's Lake, N. D., Feb. 3.—In the trial here today of Mrs. Mary Wright, charged with the murder of Beulah Wright, aged 16, Mrs. John Beegel testified that she saw the body shortly after death, and there were finger marks on the girl's face.

The state alleges that Mrs. Wright strangled the girl and smeared carbolic acid on her lips to make it appear a case of suicide.

**Missouri Pacific Changes.**

The following changes have been made in the train service of the Missouri Pacific, they having taken effect late Monday afternoon:

W. A. Sullivan, conductor, succeeds F. D. Lister on Nos. 95 and 96.

W. L. Hull and W. B. Roach, brakemen, succeed J. A. Miller and O. A Conkle on Nos. 95 and 96.

William Anderson, brakeman, succeeds W. M. Middleton with Conductor R. J. Richard.

C. A. Harreld and J. E. Crawford brakemen, succeed J. W. Cromley and E. W. Young on Nos. 691 and 692 with Norman Crawford, conductor.

**Fire Loss Over $100.**

The fire at the home of C. F. Ernst, 1002 South Kentucky avenue, Monday afternoon, resulted in a loss of over $100, clothing and furnishings being burned.

**Earnings of the M., K. & T.**

A New York dispatch reports M., K. & T. earnings as follows:

For December—Gross operating revenue, $2,208,875; increase, $288,497. Net operating revenue, $638,661; increase, $97,467. Operating income, $527,752; increase, $41,411. Surplus, $13,410; decrease, $14,576.

From July 1 to December 31—Gross operating revenue, $13,782,868; increase, $490,906. Net operating revenue, $4,448,905; decrease, $257,148. Surplus, $863,183; decrease, $781,193.




**Kemp Hieronymus**

**Live Stock Auctioneer**

Write or Wire For Dates


## WED BY THE REV. BOYD

**Leave This Evening for a Bridal Trip in the South.**

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

A. B. Bridges, a contractor of Windsor, and Miss Isabelle Peel, of Belleville, Ill., were united in marriage by the Rev. A. A. Boyd, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, at the home of the groom's brother, J. R. Bridges, an M., K. & T. conductor 1215 East Tenth street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The bridal couple will leave tonight for a honeymoon trip in the south, and will then go to Windsor to live.

## SEVENTEEN WERE KILLED

**In a Mine Explosion at Short Creek, Alabama.**

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 3.—Seventeen men were killed and two others dangerously injured in an explosion in slope No. 2 of the coal mines of the Birmingham Coal and Iron company at Short Creek, eighteen miles west of here, shortly before noon yesterday.

Of the victims twelve are negroes and five whites.

**GEORGETOWN ITEMS.**

Georgetown, Mo., Feb. 4.

I. O. Gray and wife have returned from a visit with Illinois relatives.

The recent storm did considerable damage in this vicinity.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Born, Friday, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Steffens.

William Wylie was at Herndon a few days the past week.

W. H. Zeigh, of Sweet Springs, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Opal Wiley has returned from a visit with Saline county friends.

William Cranfil is recovering from a serious attack of illness.

Mrs. Arthur Wasson is improving nicely, after a severe attack of ear trouble.

Henry Chapman and wife, of Tipton, are the guests of Georgetown relatives.

J. B. Johnson last night was selected to fill out the unexpired term of school director.

**Will Build Line From Joplin.**

Edgar Madden, general counsel for the St. Louis, Oklahoma and Pacific Construction company, of New York is at Bartlesville, Ok., to meet with the stockholders of the road.

His company will take over the assets and build the line from Joplin Mo., to Carmen, Ok.

**Mr. Imhoff Slowly Improving.**

(From Sunday's Daily.)

M. L. Imhoff, county clerk, who is slowly recuperating from an attack of congestion of the lungs, is today celebrating his 61st birthday anniversary.

## FOUR CITIES SELECTED

**A NEW INTERSTATE BASEBALL LEAGUE WAS PARTLY ORGANIZED.**

**HELD MEETING IN KANSAS CITY SUNDAY**

**Four Towns Were Chosen, Leaving Four More to Be Selected Next Sunday—Sedalia Has Chance to Get in Band Wagon.**

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—An interstate baseball league was formed yesterday at a meeting held in the Hotel Baltimore. "Doc" Shively, president of the Western association has been selected to help the members of the new organization in getting players and franchises for the league.

William J. Hobin, of Kansas City Kas., was elected secretary. Four towns paid for protection and were awarded franchises. The cities admitted were Atchison, Leavenworth, Kansas City, Kas., and Moberly, Mo. Secretary Farrel, of the National association, has been wired for territorial rights.

Another meeting will be held at the Hotel Baltimore next Sunday afternoon for the purpose of selecting four other towns for the new league. The other teams will be picked from the following cities: St. Joseph, Lawrence, Sedalia, Nevada, Jefferson City, Ottawa and Maryville.

A circuit committee, consisting of Ed Bailey, of Nevada; L. C. S. Martz, of Atchison, and Jack Sweeney, of Leavenworth, has been appointed to select the four remaining teams for the league.

This committee will visit towns in Missouri and Kansas this week, and when the meeting for next Sunday opens everything will be in readiness for the organization of an eight-club circuit.

## FROM THIRTY-FIVE COUNTIES

**Petitions Come for Vote on Statewide Prohibition.**

Jefferson City, Feb. 3.—At its opening session, the senate yesterday made the liquor question the paramount issue.

Petitions from thirty-five counties were filed, asking for the passage of a bill to submit to the voters a proposal for state-wide prohibition.

No explanation was made as to why the petitioners did not adopt the initiative and referendum method, instead of following the old law of petitioning the legislature.

There are half a dozen members who have prohibition bills in their desks ready to introduce.

## BETTING BILL IN MONTANA

**Senate Would Prohibit Race Wagers Except at Regular Fairs**

Helena, Mont., Feb. 3.—The senate in committee of the whole passed yesterday Donlin's bill prohibiting pool rooms. Betting on races, except at regular fairs, is also prohibited, foreign races being barred.

The bill was amended so that pools may be sold in any city other than the one in which the contest is being held, when both are conducted in Montana.

## HADLEY ON THE CONTEST

**The Recount Fair and Free From Political Influence, He Says.**

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Governor Hadley, in an interview last night, complimented the legislature on the settlement of the controversy over the election of lieutenant governor.

The governor said the recount was fair and no political partisanship had entered to prevent a fair investigation.

## BACK TO MINOR LEAGUES

**Pitchers Who Have Been Playing With New York Giants.**

New York, Feb. 3.—Two of the stars which have shone in the baseball firmament of New York for the last five years were transferred yesterday to clubs of other organizations. One of them is "Happy Jack" Chesbro, of the New York Highlanders. Indianapolis will claim him in the future if he cares to take up the burden of pitching for a club in the American association.

Luther Taylor, whose good-humored comicality on the ball field made him a favorite with the spectators, in spite of his inability to talk and hear, s wanted [illegible] in the Eastern eague, and the Giants have consented o his transfer to that organization. Taylor is the only player on record who is known to have objected to an increase in salary. This he did while with New York, believing that his work of a previous season had not been good enough to entitle him to it.

Rochester, of the Eastern league, has secured Beecher, a pitcher obtained by the Giants from Springfield, Ill., who was used occasionally during the summer of 1908 and was finally loaned to Newark, in the Eastern league, where he made a pronounced success.

## TO TRY A WHISKY CASE

**COMES UP THIS WEEK IN THE SUPREME COURT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.**

**APPEAL CERTAIN, NO MATTER WHO WINS**

**Numerous Cases in Different Parts of the Country Await the Decision of This Particular Litigation.**

Washington, Feb. 1.—Distillers and rectifiers of whisky throughout the country are interested in a pivotal case which will be tried this week in the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

The case hinges on the definition of what constitutes whiskey and was brought by the government against the James Clark Distilling company, of Baltimore.

It grows out of the seizure by the government about nine months ago in this city of about fifty barrels of whisky on the ground that it was misbranded under the definition of whisky as enunciated by Attorney General Bonaparte.

Numerous cases in different sections of the country await the decision in this suit. Which ever side wins, an appeal will be taken to the United States supreme court on the question as to what constitutes whisky.

The government is making unusual preparations for the trial. Its chief witness will be Dr. Harvey W. Wiley pure food expert.

Dr. Wiley is expected to make in the presence of the court and the jury the identical compounds now sold as whisky, but which the government contends should be branded "imitation whisky."

The National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' association and other associations will bear the expense of the litigation on the distillers side.

## UNCLE SAM SPRUNG SURPRISE

**In the Town Lot Fraud Investigation at Muskogee.**

Muskogee, Ok., Feb. 3.—The government sprung a surprise in the town lot fraud investigation today when it was announced that the probing of the grand jury would be extended to include alleged frauds in scheduling "individual blocks."

Many persons built fences around while blocks of land, claimed ownership on the ground that these improvements secured deeds to the land

## POSTPONE A LEGISLATURE

**One Member is Too Busy With Fisheries Question.**

St. John's N. F., Feb. 3.—Newfoundland's legislative session, summoned by Governor McGregor to begin tomorrow, will be postponed. Attorney General Kent is now busy with the fisheries question which recently took him to Washington.

As he holds a seat in the legislature, and without him the Bond government would be in a minority, it became necessary to postpone the gathering of the legislators.


**LOONEY & BLOESS LUMBER CO FOR RUBBER ROOFING, $1.50 PER SQUARE.**


**Oldest Woman Postmistress.**

Greencastle, Pa., Feb 2.— Mrs Mary McCoy, aged 86 years, said to be the oldest woman postmistress in the United States, has resigned her position at Sheaklevville, Pa., which she filled for forty years.

Mrs. McCoy was appointed by President Johnson.


**CASTORIA**

**For Infants and Children.**

**The Kind You Have Always Bought**

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher



Central Missouri's Greatest Sale of

# EMBROIDERIES

Now Ready For You.



*These embroideries are positively in a class by themselves, as they cannot in any measure be compared with anything ever shown before in Sedalia or vicinity. It is positivety the finest made, wrought on hand looms by workers whose lives have been spent in embroidery weaving, in St. Gall, Switzerland.*

**The concessions a prominent St. Gall, Switzerland, Manufacturer made in our purchase of such an enormous quality enables us to offer values which are doubtless without an equal.**

*Nainsook and Swiss Edgings—each pattern is complete—commencing with the narrow edge, then wider and wider, with insertions to match; also bands, galloons, corset cover embroidery, waist fronts and dress panels, 18, 27 and 45-inch flouncings, etc.*

## *Embroideries*

Edges and Insertion to match.

12½c to 15c grades, yard, **8⅓c**

17½c to 22c grades, yard, **10c**

25c grades, yard, **12½c**

29c to 35c grades, yard, **15c**

## *Matched Sets*

In from 2 to 4 widths and insertions.

In dainty neat baby sets—floral designs and large wide flouncings.

Regular 15c to 50c yard grades—

***10c to 25c Yd.***

Regular 50c to 75c grades—

***20c to 45c Yd.***



**Galloons.**

Rich, beautiful designs and liberal widths. Regular 25c grades—

**12c½ Yd**

Regular 39c grades—

**15c Yd**

## *Corset Cover Embroideries*

Especially fashioned, and exquisite deep designs—

Regular 25c to 39c values, yard ..... **19c**

Regular 45c to 50c values, yard ..... **25c**

Regular 59c to 75c values, yard ..... **50c**

## *Flouncings*

Fashion has placed her seal of approval upon flouncings for Spring and Summer, '09, and this showing is your only opportunity to secure the choicest styles to be shown—

Regular 75c grades, yard ..... **39c**

Regular 89c grades, yard ..... **50c**

Regular $1.25 grades, yard ..... **75c**

45 inch flouncings:—

Regular $1.75 grades, yard ..... **1.19**

Regular $2.00 grades, yard ..... **1.25**

Regular $2.50 grades, yard ..... **1.39**

***Shirt Waist Panels***



and fronts, the most beautiful possible for human hands to make—

$2.00 grades . **1.00**

$3.00 grades .. **1.50**

**Beadings**

12½c grades, yd.. **7½c**

15c grades, yd. **10c**

30c grades, yd. **15c**

**Flower-Barnett**

THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE

219-221-223 Dry Goods Co OHIO ST.


**Return of Grant Butcher.**

Grant B. Butcher, formerly owner of the Cash Grocery, in Southwest Sedalia, who since Nov. 2 has been sojourning at Seattle, Wash., arrived in Sedalia Friday night.


Wood's Liver Medicine in liquid form regulates the liver, relieves sick headache, constipation stomach, kidney disorders and acts as a gentle laxative. For chills, fever and malaria. Its tonic effects on the system felt with the first dose. The $1.00 bottle contains 2½ times as much as the 50c size. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.


**The Adagio Club.**

Mrs. Pearl Baird Poteet will entertain the Adagio club at her home Friday.

**Danville Shops Closed.**

The general shops of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad closed at Danville, Ill., Monday indefinitely. Only about 350 men are affected, but the complete shutdown of the shops has caused comment in business circles.

The shops have been employing only a third of the regular force on half time for some months.

**Telegram Told of Illness.**

(From Tuesday's Daily)

H. W. Stark, an M., K. & T. fireman, and brother, J. W. Stark, went to Otterville this morning in response to a telegram telling them that their sister, Mrs. Orby Cook, was at death's door with dropsy. Mrs. H. W. Stark will leave for Otterville this afternoon.


Preventics—those Candy Cold Cure Tablets—will safely and quickly check all colds and the Grip Try them once and see! 48-25c. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Store.


**He's an Odd Fellow Now**

D. G. Phipps was given the third degree of the Odd Fellows by Prairie Queen lodge No. 25 Tuesday night.

## A BEQUEST FOR "JOHN D."

**John Crom, of New Jersey, Perpetrated a Joke on Oil King.**

New York, Feb. 3.—In the effects of John Crom, formerly of Shamong township, N. J., has been found the following will, duly signed, and executed March 15, 1906:

"I, John Crom, do hereby give and bequeath all my real estate and personal property, horses, cattle, gold mines, farms, railroads, steamships, canal boats, telegraph lines, oil wells, ocean cables, airships, cranberry bogs, cattle ranches, automobiles and also my castle in Spain, also my castle in the air, to John D. Rockefeller, providing he can find them.—John P. Crom.

"Signed in the presence of witnesses: William Handspring, Spring William, William Earlspring, William Catspring and William Without-a-spring.

"This is to certify that I, John Crom, being in right mind, sign this, my last will."

## Another Week of Cleaning Up.



Owing to the extremely inclement weather, we have decided to continue our Cleaning-up Sale another week. All winter lines are included in this sale. Special prices on

**Blankets and Comforts**

This cold snap should remind you to look after your bed covers. You can save money and buy the very best by attending this sale. Lower prices than we have ever had. A big line of

**Dress Goods for 39c**

which formerly sold up to 75c the yard. The very latest styles in the 1909 shades and just the right thing for winter wear. Our flannelette stock is also included in this sale. Prices from 7½c to 10.

Big discounts this week in ladies' and children's fleece-lined or wool hose. Every piece of underwear in the house greatly reduced. You can ECONOMIZE NOW.

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# JUDGE HOFFMAN IS 'OUT'

### HE WILL NOT SIT IN MANDAMUS PROCEEDINGS AGAINST SCHOOL BOARD.

### IS A BROTHER OF ONE OF THE MEMBERS

**Likely That Either Judge Bradley or Judge Martin Will Be Called —Other Entries on the Docket Today.**

Judge Louis Hoffman was today disqualified as circuit judge to pass on the mandamus proceedings of J. E. O'Bannon against the Sedalia board of education, to compel the latter to permit his children to attend public school without being vaccinated.

The disqualification results from the relationship of Judge Hoffman to Charles Hoffman, a member of the school board, and it is likely Judge Bradley, of Warrensburg, or Judge Martin, of Boonville, will be called to sit in the case.

C. E. Yeater represented the school board, and G. W. Barnett and C. C. Lawson represented Mr. O'Bannon.

Permission has been granted to Mr. O'Bannon's children to attend school, pendente lite, although a meeting of the school board will necessarily have to be held to ratify such action.

Other entries on the docket today, which is the first day of the February term, are as follows:

Lillie F. vs. Stephen D. Muckey, to set aside deed; dismissed by plaintiff.

Annie E. vs. Cleon V. Smith, divorce; dismissed by plaintiff.

David vs. Lamelia Gaston, divorce; plaintiff dismisses petition and defendant dismisses cross-bill.

Mike vs. Edna F. Ryan, divorce; dismissed for want of prosecution.

George vs. Mary Smith, divorce; reset for Feb. 4.

Carrie E. vs. Henry A. McCoy, divorce; dismissed by plaintiff.

George vs. Clora Savage, divorce; defendant files motion for alimony and suit money, pendente lite.

Lee vs. Marie Pierman, divorce; defendant files motion for alimony, pendente lite.

Emma vs. Henry Winter, divorce; plaintiff files motion for alimony, pendente lite.

Sallie White vs. Frank Bledsoe et al, partition; dismissed by plaintiff.

Faye Bates vs. Millard L. Bates, divorce; decree granted plaintiff and maiden name, Faye Curnutt, restored.

Personal experience with a tube of ManZan Pile Remedy will convince you it is immediate relief for all forms of Piles. Guaranteed, 50c. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

### PROVIDENCE ITEMS.

Providence, Mo., Feb. 2.

Mr. P. G. Stuart made a business trip to Benton county last Thursday.

Miss Grace Veazey, of Lamine, visited Miss Ruth Davis Wednesday.

Mrs. J. G. Stamberger is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wood visited with Mr. J. G. Stamberger and family Sunday evening.

Uncle Billy Pollard and daughter, Miss Anna, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anderson a few days last week.

D. L. Brereton was transacting business in Clifton City last week.

Leland and B. Wallace, who have been on the sick list, are able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers were visiting in this community last week.

Mrs. J. L. Anderson visited with Mrs. T. W. Hudson Tuesday.

Dr. Fogle, of Clifton City, made a professional visit here last Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Lane visited a few days last week with her cousin, Miss Grace Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sallaway spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anderson

Mrs. Anna Hudson spent Thursday night with Mrs. Mollie Monsees.

Messrs. E. W. Wood and J. L. Anderson delivered hogs at Beaman Monday.

Grandma Stuart is visiting with her son, Paul, and family this week.

C. E. Hudson spent Sunday with John Chambers, near Smithton.

Mr. L. Lane was buying furs in this section Wednesday.

Messrs. A. L. Baker and J. G. Stamberger were shopping in Smithton Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Forbes visited with Mrs. George Holman Wednesday.

George Monsees was buying hogs in this section last week.

Anna and Clara Mahnken visited with Mrs. William Scott Thursday and Friday.

Mr. W. S. Cotton has moved to his farm, west of Sedalia

### MANILA ITEMS.

Manila, Mo., Feb. 2.

Owing to the bad weather last Friday only six pupils attended our school.

Messrs. M. Durrill and W. H. Helsey are transacting business in the Queen City today.

Clyde Meyers spent Saturday night and Sunday with C. E. Warren.

Joe Schnabel, of Ionia, is seriously ill with pneumonia at the home of his brother-in-law, R. A. Harckless.

The spelling match at Manila school Saturday night was very well attended and all reported a good time.

Miss Dinelia Bethards entertained quite a number of her friends Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. Walkup, Mr. T. B. Howery and family, Miss Etta Riecke, Edith Willis, Grace Walkup, Nellie and Ella McNutt, Pearl and Gertie Atwood, May Mather and Nellie Hampton; Messrs. Fred Riecke, Lee Walkup, Floyd and John Davidson, Robert and Waldo Beard and John Hampton.

### HOUSTONIA ITEMS.

Houstonia, Mo., Feb. 2.

Miss Kathaline Williams visited relatives in Sedalia Sunday.

Miss Vard Smith left Monday for Columbia, where she will enter school.

Emmett Fisher came down from Kansas City last Thursday morning to be at the bedside of his father, R. D. Fisher.

Miss Fannie Sawyer, of Lexington, is visiting F. C. Hayman and family.

Mrs. Ed Reavis, of Sweet Springs, visited Mrs. Emma Longan Tuesday.

Miss Nell Hayman entertained the "T. C." club Thursday night, complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Kenton Harmon, of New York. A progressive game was played. Mrs. C. T. McConnell scored highest and received the prize. Dr. McConnell received the gentleman's prize, a cigar holder. The refreshments consisted of oyster patties, fruit salad, cream cheese, sandwiches, pineapple ice and cake.

# POULTRY MEN ARE HERE

### THOSE WHO SHIP LIVE FOWLS IN CARLOAD LOTS TO ALL SECTIONS.

### SEVERAL RAILROAD MEN ARE ALSO EHER

**Will Adjourn Tonight to Meet In St. Louis the Latter Part of the Month—Will Wind Up With a Smoker.**

(From Monday's Daily.)

About eighty poultry dealers from all parts of the state are in Sedalia today to attend the annual meeting of the Carload Shippers of Live Poultry of Missouri, which was called to order by President F. M. Stamper, of Moberly, at the Elks' club rooms at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Included in the list of those in attendance are many railroad officials from different railroad systems throughout the country.

Immediately after the opening the reports of various committees were heard and addresses were made by the following: H. E. Emerson, Chicago; W. D. Voelker, St. Louis; A. W. Baer, Kansas City; W. J. Henry, Philadelphia, Pa.; Frank T. Magan, Chicago; S. L. Kelly, Kansas City.

The meeting is being held in the interest of the poultrymen and egg shippers of the state, and much enthusiasm pevails.

Adjournment will be taken tonight to meet at St. Louis the latter part of this month.

After adjournment a smoker will be enjoyed.

The reception committee consists of the following: H. F. Schmidt, G. H. Trader, S. E. Murray and R. C. Combs.

# MARRIED FOR 57 YEARS

**Mr. and Mrs. James Cousley to Celebrate Tomorrow.**

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mr. and Mrs. James Cousley, two of Sedalia's estimable citizens, will celebrate their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary at their home, 814 East Seventh street tomorrow.

Exactly fifty-seven years ago tomorrow—on Ground Hog day—Mr. and Mrs. Cousley were united in marriage at St. Louis. At that time Mr. Cousley was engaged as a groceryman at Alton, Ill.

They returned to that point and in 1882 came to Sedalia, where they have since resided, commanding the utmost esteem and respect of every acquaintance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cousley have seven children, only five of whom are living, as follows: Sam, Nevada; Robert, Joplin; W. P., Springfield, Ill.; Mrs. W. H. Williamson, El Paso, Texas; Miss Ella Cousley, Sedalia.

Mr. Cousley will be 77 years old the latter part of this month, while his wife is only a few months his junior.

# STREET CAR FARES RAISED

**Cleveland Goes Back to the Old Rate of Five Cents Per Passenger.**

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 1.—In accordance with instructions recently issued by Judge Taylor, of the federal court, to the receivers of the traction system of this city, the rate of fare will be increased, beginning tomorrow morning, on all street car lines except upon those where the franchise specifically provides for a rate of not more than three cents. Approximately two-thirds of the street car patrons are now paying a straight five-cent far or eleven tickets for fifty cents.

and seemed to draw the words of God closer and closer around those assembled.

God's word was lifted higher and the prayers were uttered nearer to the throne than ever before. It can also be stated that new resolves were planted that will, with proper care, leap to bounds unknown.

A pill in time that will save nine is Ring's Little Liver Pill. For biliousness, sick headache constipation. They do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

### PRAIRIE ITEMS.

Prairie, Mo., Feb. 1.

A free concert will be given by the Camp Branch band at Camp Branch hall Saturday evening Feb. 6. A splendid program will be rendered.

The High Point Farmers' club will meet at High Point school house Feb. 6. "The Dairy" will be discussed.

A cyclone of considerable velocity visited this locality last Thursday evening, blowing down buildings, trees and wrecking whatever came in its course. Mr. H. H. Taylor has about half of his barn roof torn away a machine shed overturned and wrecked a number of good vehicles, his dwelling house had the windows blown out; a flue was blown off and a part of the roof was misplaced.

Mrs. G. A. Davidson is very ill at her home. Dr. Dyer is attending her.

Very few from these parts were in Sedalia last Saturday on account of the severe weather.

# BULLET WOUND IS FATAL

**Prisoner at Joplin Declares He Shot in Self-Defense.**

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 3.—Clyde Maynard, aged 27 years, died yesterday from a bullet wound sustained early Sunday morning, when he engaged in a quarrel at a local saloon.

William Delaney, of Smithfield, gave himself up to the police following the shooting and is being held. Delaney says he never saw Maynard prior to the difficulty

"We had some trouble in the saloon just before it closed," said Delaney. "I left the place and Maynard followed me, throwing rocks at me and using abusive language. Neither of us was drunk. I was forced to shoot Maynard in self-defense. I did not know that he was dead until the police told me just now."

Don't drug the Stomach, or stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is wrong, it is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Vitalize these weak inside controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and see how quickly good health will come to you again. Test it and see. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Store.

### Had Two Initiations.

Queen City council No. 564, K. and L. of S., at Monday night's meeting balloted upon two applications and initiated Miss Carrie Staats and Mr. John Dunn.


# The Dr. Camp Medical Co. Wonderful Inhalatorium

CONSUMPTION.



MISS GRACE POTTORFF.

Miss Pottorff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pottorff, who are very influential citizens and stand high in the community in which they reside. Having previously lost both their son and daughter from the great White Plague—"Consumption," they became alarmed for the health of their remaining daughter, and sought our aid none too soon, for on the examination, we found her suffering from all the symptoms of the early stages of Consumption with the ever present germs of that disease invading her system We are most happy to state that we were able to overcome this condition by our Famous Inhalatorium Treatment, combined with a special course of our systematic medication. Miss Pottorff is now out of danger and has gained some 14 pounds in weight. She is a very deserving young lady, and we wish her many happy years to come.

Dr. Camp Medical Co. Dear Doctors: It is with a feeling of sincerest gratitude that I express to you my warmest appreciation for the great benefit I have received from taking your Modern Inhalatorium Treatment. It is certainly a pleasure to recommend your advanced methods to all those who suffer from throat and lung troubles. Some months ago I was troubled with a bad cough and as both my sister and brother had died with that terrible disease, consumption, my parents became very anxious about my condition and placed me in your care. The results are certainly most satisfactory, for I am happy and well, and shall never cease to praise your Wonderful Treatment.

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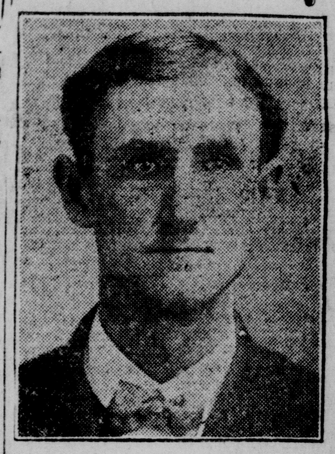
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MR. AUGUST SAPP.

Mr. Sapp is a gentleman 28 years of age, residing near Ashland, Mo. He is a prosperous farmer and an influential citizen of that community. He came to us some months ago with all the symptoms of the early stages of that most dreaded condition, Tuberculosis. We examined him without asking any questions and found his system thoroughly impregnated with the germs of that terrible disease by our microscopic tests and when informed of our diagnosis he said that he suspected as much, as his father had recently died of consumption. He immediately began taking our Inhalatorium Treatment, combined with our Special three-months course of Systematic Medication. He has made a most rapid improvement and is now out of danger, having gained 15 pounds in weight, and except for a slight kidney complication brought on by scooping corn, all his troubles are over.

The Dr. Camp Medical Co. Gentlemen: The above is a complete and accurate history of my case and while I have not finished my last month's course of treatment, I feel that my condition has so much improved that I am in a position to strongly recommend your Wonderful New Method of Treatment to all who suffer from lung trouble, and it will be a pleasure for me in the future to answer all communications in regard to my case and cure.

AUGUST SAPP,
R. R. No. 2. Ashland, Mo.


# PRETTY WEDDING GIFT

**For Mr. James J. Neely and His Accomplished Bride.**

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Neely, the latter formerly Miss Edna Hunicke, have been remembered by the Missouri Pacific station employes with a very appropriate wedding present in the form of a cut glass water set, which was sent to Mr. Neely's home, 401 West Seventh street, while he was at work.

The gift was presented as a wedding remembrance, and was graciously received by the young bridal couple, who were powerless to express their appreciation.

Colds contracted at this season of the year are quickly relieved with Dee's Laxative Cough Syrup. Its laxative quality rids the system of the cold. Pleasant to take. Best for children for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

### The Death of Miss Spidell.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Miss Spidell, who made her home with her brother, William Spidell, a farmer, seven miles north of Sedalia, died from general debility at her home this morning, aged 65 years. Funeral services will be held at Mt. Herman Tuesday.

### "Brick" Owens a Ticket Taker.

Clarence B. Owens, the umpire, better known as "Brick" Owens, is now a ticket taker with the Raymond Wells Theatrical Stock Co. He will receive $525 a month this summer as an umpire in the American Baseball association.

### Former Sedalian Going Abroad.

Former President Frank Trumbull, of the Colorado and Southern, will take a trip to Egypt before assuming active control of the Chesapeake and Ohio property.

Years ago Mr. Trumbull was a clerk in the M., K. & T. general offices in Sedalia.

# NUDE BODY IN FALLEN TREE

**Mysterious Case Reported at Blytheville, Ark.**

Blytheville, Ark., Feb. 3.—The dead and almost nude body of an unidentified man was found yesterday morning beside Lumert Bayou, just outside the corporate limits of the city in the top of a fallen tree.

The body was burned about the back and the scattered clothing was all more or less burned. A pint bottle, one-third full of alcohol, and a revolver were found in the coat pocket.

The officers are in doubt as to the cause of death, as there is no wound of any kind on the body except the burns, and there is a difference of opinion as to whether these were caused by fire or acid.

Coroner Gibson is investigating the case. It is believed the man's name is W. M. Prower and that his home is in Memphis, Tenn.

# A BOY HANGED BY ACCIDENT

**In Barton City, Mo., a Window Fell on Manny Phillips.**

Barton City, Mo., Feb. 2.—Manny, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Phillips, of this city, went to the Bryan school house, near his home, Saturday morning to get his books. The door was locked, so he raised a window to climb in.

Just as he jumped through the window the sash fell, striking him on the back of the neck and pinning him fast with his feet dangling. He was seen there by his mother, who believed he was just climbing in, and went about her work.

When she looked again a short time afterward and saw him still hanging she told her husband, who ran to his assistance, only to find him dead. His neck was not broken and it is believed he died of strangulation.

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## THE NAME WAS CHANGED

AT A MEETING OF RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION MONDAY AFTERNOON.

### THERE WAS A VERY LARGE ATTENDANCE

In Future It Will Be the Merchants and Home Industry Association—Monthly Dues to Be 25 Cents.

At a largely attended meeting of the Retail Merchants' association, held at the office of Secretary C. C. Lawson late Monday afternoon, the name of the organization was changed to the Merchants and Home Industry association.

By the unanimous vote of all members present it was decided to invite every citizen in Sedalia who is interested in the city's growth and prosperity to become a member, whether engaged in business or otherwise employed.

The Retail Merchants' association has been an active organization for several years past, and at all times has been interested in every move that has been started to benefit the public.

Now that the doors have been opened to admit as members all persons interested in the city's welfare, the membership should be increased to at least five hundred. Its present membership is about sixty.

Monthly meetings will be held to discuss matters of interest, when every member present will be expected to take an active part in the discussions. There will be no membership fee charged. The monthly dues are but 25 cents.

Mr. C. C. Lawson, the secretary, is now sending out application cards, together with the following letter, and any one who does not receive one can find the cards at his office in the Ilgenfritz building, where he will gladly enroll your name as a member.

Dear Sir: At a recent meeting of the Retail Merchants' association, the name of the organization was changed to the Merchants and Home Industry association. The object of this change was to include in its membership every business and professional man in Sedalia and every other person who has a personal interest in boosting our city, and we cordially invite you to become one of us.

We enclose herewith an application card which please sign and return to our secretary, Mr. C. C. Lawson, in order that you may be enrolled as a member. Yours truly—W. J. Letts, President. Attest: C. C. Lawson, Secretary.

## A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

In Honor of Good Wife of Retired Baptist Divine.

Mrs. W. N. Phillips, wife of a well known retired Baptist minister, was the guest of honor at a delightful surprise party and dining given at their home, 2101 East Tenth street, Monday, the occasion being the celebration of her sixty-third birthday anniversary.

At the noon hour a sumptuous repast was partaken of by all in attendance, and after the serving of the menu the guests chanted the hymn, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Rev. Phillips made a very touching response to the celebration in behalf of his wife, after which all returned home, having passed a delightful day.

Those present were: Jack and John Potter, of Blackwater; Mrs Steele, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Guymon and daughter, Mrs. William Patterson and son, Mrs. Newcomb and son Claud, Mrs. W. B. Farley, Mrs. G. R. Fletcher, all of Sedalia; J. G. Thomas and Grant Potter, of Beaman; Mrs Maggie Potter and daughter, Daniel Farley and Master Fruit Potter, all of Green Ridge.

## MEETING OF YOUNG MEN

Eloquent and Instructive Remarks by Rev. Martin.

(From Monday's Daily.)

A meeting of great interest was held at the Y. M. C. L. room Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the place being filled with young men from all parts of the city, who listened very attentively to eloquent and instructive remarks by the Rev. S. S. Martin, pastor of the First M. E. church.

The divine took for his text the 33d verse of the sixth chapter of Matt., "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added unto you."

In his remarks Rev. Martin showed the student that for physical strength a man must eat the food that acquires strength; he must take the necessary exercise and keep the system in a clean, pure state; that to be of great physical strength man could not carouse or lead a riotous life.

A man for a clerical office must put his might and main in the developing and nourishing of the brain, that it may be clear and alert at all times.

After the lesson had been brought out wonderfully, and men helped and strengthened in the Lord's work, a solo was rendered by Mr. William Dixon, which was very impressive.

## HER PARENTS ARE DEAD

BUT LITTLE MARGARET EZELL DOES NOT FULLY REALIZE HER LOSS.

### STOPPING AT THE HOME OF MR. LOGAN

Father and Mother Died of Injuries Sustained in the Denver and Rio Grande Collision Near Dotsero, Colo.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Little Margaret Ezell, the 7 year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. L. J. Ezell, both of whom died at Glenwood Springs, Colo., from injuries sustained in the Denver & Rio Grande wreck near Dotsero, Colo., is temporarily making her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Logan, 616 West Fifth street, and is recovering from the injuries she sustained in the wreck very satisfactorily.

The little girl was quite badly wounded in the accident that caused her parents to lose their lives, among her injuries being a severe laceration of her left leg, between the knee and ankle, and a wrench of the neck.

Although she is perfectly conscious, she scarcely realizes that her parents are dead. She clings to the belief that both are at their home in North Dakota, and continually asks to go to that place.

Several days ago, when her suffering was more excruciating than usual, the little tot remarked that she would feel better if her mother were with her, but her attendants calmed her without apprising her that her father and mother had been called to their eternal rest. The patient is under the care of Dr. W. G. Cowan. Several days ago, when her brother quietly told her that her papa and mamma had died, she cried pitifully, but briefly, and it was obvious that she did not realize the seriousness of the situation.

She will remain at Mr. Logan's house until her injuries are entirely healed.

## DEATH OF R. D. FISHER

Interment at the Blackwater Burial Ground Tuesday.

(From Monday's Daily.)

R. D. Fisher, who resided on a farm owned by him three miles west of Houstonia, Mo., died at his home at 11 o'clock Saturday night, of general debility, aged 77 years.

Mr. Fisher was a son of the late Samuel Fisher, and was born in Cooper county, Mo., September 27, 1832. His wife, now deceased, was formerly Miss Kate C. Higgins. He is survived by three sons, viz.: James D., at home; Copsie H., of Raton, N M., and R. E. Fisher, formerly deputy county clerk of Pettis county, but now of Kansas City.

Mr. Fisher was one of the best known citizens of Pettis county. He belonged to the Baptist church, and no man in the county was held in higher esteem.

The Rev. R. K. Maiden will conduct the burial service at Blackwater chapel at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, and the interment will be in the burial ground there.

### Married by Rev. Caskey.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Roy D. Reed, a young farmer of Dresden, and Miss Katie Risch, of Claryville, Ky., were united in marriage by the Rev. J. F. Caskey at the parsonage of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. They went to Houstonia this afternoon to visit relatives and will then return to Dresden to live.

## ONLY A SIDE ISSUE




"I am going to look after the New York Central, all right; only I can't be expected to look after the family affairs of everybody."—E. H. Harriman, in recent interview.

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## SHE WED HER FIRST LOVE

MISS HELEN MALONEY, ONCE MUCH TALKED OF PHILADELPHIA GIRL.

### HAD TWO HUSBANDS AT THE SAME TIME

Secret Marriage Could Not Be Annulled by Church, So Young People Decided to Follow Original Agreement.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.— Miss Helen M. Maloney, of this city, and Arthur Herbert Osborn, of New York, were married today by Rev. Stephen M. Lyons at St. Catherine's Roman Catholic church, Spring Lake, N. J.

Miss Maloney, who is a daughter of one of Philadelphia's wealthiest men, was secretly married to Osborn four or five years ago by a justice of the peace. Nothing was said of the marriage, and the young people pursued their regular lives, each residing at their own home and meeting very seldom, and then only in a social way.

Suddenly Miss Maloney disappeared and was next heard of in Europe as the wife of a young English society man, with whom she had eloped.

When news of this reached Osborn he immediately announced the fact of the previous marriage of the young woman and asserted that she was still his wife.

The father of Miss Maloney immediately went to Europe and brought his daughter back, and announcement was made that she would divorce Osborn, whom she claimed to have wedded only in a joke, and marry the Englishman.

Osborn, after a great deal of persuading, consented to the annulment of the marriage, but the Catholic church refused to sanction the arrangement, and Miss Maloney has since then been without a husband.

The re-marriage today straightens out all complications and unites the original parties in church-sanctioned wedlock.

## "KEMP" CAUGHT THE CROW

And Turned It Over to Frank McAllister, the Owner.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Kemp Hieronymus, the auctioneer, has developed quite an ability as a "catcher." Kemp had heard about the mysterious crow attracting attention from Ohio street pedestrians, and decided to cage the fowl.

Accordingly, he enticed it to his domicile, Fifth street and Osage avenue, where, with crumbs of bread, he managed to allure it into a barn. This accomplished, he bore down on the bird and succeeded in capturing it.

Shortly afterwards the owner Frank McAllister, claimed possession and Kemp returned the bird to the owner.

The much-heard-of "Hen Roost" club was very anxious to have a banquet with the crow as the principal dish, but the owner objected.

### Russell Camp Meeting.

The applications of McLean G. Wright and Roala Taylor were balloted on at Monday night's meeting of Russell camp No. 2065, Modern Woodmen of America.

## GIVES UP BRICK PLANT

CAPT. O. M. CARTER RESIGNS AS MANAGER OF THE MEXICO CONCERN.

### THE WORKS NOW MAKING GOOD MONEY

Increased the Output From 15,000 to 36,000 Daily and the Profits From $1.35 Per 1,000 to $3.40 Per 1,000.

Mexico, Mo., Feb. 2.—Captain O. M. Carter, who has been manager of the local brick plant for several months, has relinquished his option on the plant and departed for Chicago.

To a reporter for the Intelligencer, Captain Carter said:

"The finest clay in the world exists in abundance around Mexico, and I see no reason why the brick plant will not thrive and make money.

"When I took charge of the plant, in October last, the average output was less than 15,000 bricks per working day, and the profit was $1.35 per thousand, which was very unsatisfactory, whereas, the output is now over 36,500 per working day, and the profit last month was $3.40 per thousand, which is a very satisfactory showing, indeed.

"This showing, I may remark, was due very largely to the faithful and efficient services of my superintendent, Mr. Rolfe, who has been associated with me during the entire time that I have been here."

Captain Carter said that he would in all probability take up his profession as a consulting engineer in Chicago. He spoke in the highest terms of the brick plant and those who own it.

## GIRL'S STORY CONVICTS

MARIE PEUROY IS LURED FROM PARIS BY WHITE SLAVE SYNDICATE.

### THERE WAS A WOMAN ASSISTANT IN CASE

Two Years in Federal Prison at Fort Leavenworth, and $2,500 Fine Assessed Against Promoter of the Traffic.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—The story of a beautiful girl lured to the United States from Paris resulted yesterday in the conviction of Henry Lair, charged by the government with being a promoter of the so-called "white slave" traffic in this country. Lair was sentenced by Judge Landis to serve two years in the government prison at Leavenworth, Kas., and to pay a $2,500 fine.

The next case to be tried is that of Lucien D'Arvaille, Lair's reputed wife, who was indicted with him on charges of importing French girls to this country in violation of the immigration laws.

Marie Peuroy, 19 years old, was the chief witness for the government When 14 years old, she said, she was met on the streets of Paris by Jules Dufour, who later inroduced her to Louis Paynt, now in the government prison at Atlanta, Ga. Paynt induced her to come to America, and brought her to Chicago, where she, she said, was taken in charge by Lair, who had come from San Francisco.

This started a campaign by the federal authorities to break up the white slave syndicate. Jules Dufour, who met the girl in Paris, is a brother of Alphonse Dufour. The latter and his wife forfeited heavy bonds following their indictment for bringing girls to Chicago, and fled to France, where it is said they were convicted on similar charges.

## NEW JOB FOR JUNE HARRIS

He Will Travel for the Cudahy Packing Co. in Future.

(From Tuesday's Daily)

June Harris, formerly traveling representative for the Fowler Packing company, and recently traveling representative for the Germo Manufacturing company, has accepted a lucrative position as traveling salesman for the Cudahy Packing company, with headquarters in Sedalia, and will travel in Central Missouri.

The new position offers a considerable increase in salary to Mr. Harris, hence his severence with the Germo company.

Mr. Harris is one of those traveling men you read about, but seldom see. He is one of the most efficient commercial tourists traveling in the middle west, and his ability in that line is far above par, hence his merited promotion.

### Nothing Heard of Missing Boy.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mrs. Lucy Bailey, 610 West Fourth street, whose 15-year-old son, Kirk, died recently from a stab wound, inflicted by his 13-year-old brother, Victor, has heard nothing whatever from her younger son, who did the stabbing, and who disappeared suddenly after the trouble.

## SAYS MARRIAGE IS BORE

UPTON SINCLAIR ALLEGES HE IS SORRY THAT HE IS "TIED UP."

### POSSIBLY HIS WIFE ALSO HAS REGRETS

Well Known Writer Calls Marriage "Legalized Slavery"—He Has Had Time to Repent at Leisure.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 2.—Upton Sinclair says he's sorry he's married.

He said it out loud, in a calm, matter-of-fact tone of voice, and the waiter almost dropped the butter plate, well trained as that particular waiter, who happened to be leaning over the back of Mr. Sinclair's chair with this particular butter plate, happened to be.

"When my wife and I fell in love with each other we talked the whole marriage business over very conscientiously. We both of us hated the idea of being tied together by either a religious or legal ceremony, and we tried to make up our minds to set the right kind of example to the world.

"But we knew that Mrs. Sinclair's father and mother would go raving crazy if we did what our consciences told us was right.

"So, to ease their minds, we let some one mumble a few words over us and made them happy.

"We were married and now we have seen the world and know a great many married people, and so we are a good deal ashamed of being married ourselves.

"Why am I so prejudiced against marriage?

"Why shouldn't I be prejudiced against it, beastly bore as it is? You might as well ask me why I am so prejudiced against slavery—or against thievery, or if it comes to that, against murder.

"Marriage in this day is nothing but legalized slavery; that's the most polite word to call it, I fancy.

"The average married woman is bought just exactly as much as any horse or dog is bought.

"Marriage—ough! ough! It really isn't a subject to be discussed at the table."

## LETTER CARRIERS MET

Last Night and Discussed Coming State Convention.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The monthly meeting of Queen City branch N. 139, National Association of Letter Carriers, was held at the postoffice last night and further arrangements were made for the annual state convention to be held in this city on May 31 and June 1.

Between fifty and one hundred delegates are expected to attend the meeting, which promises to be one of the most interesting in recent years.

Various committees have been appointed to make the meeting a success and other meetings will be held before the state convention to perfect arrangements.

### The Ground Hog Went Back.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

This is ground hog day. The little animal came forth from his hole in the ground early this morning. He saw his shadow, of course, for the sun shone brightly. Then his hogship "hiked." Back to his hole in the earth he returned, there to hibernate another six weeks.

All of which, according to tradition, means that we are to have six weeks more of winter in this neck o' the woods.

## FLORIDA FAIR TO OPEN

THE MID-WINTER EXHIBITION TO BE IN FULL BLAST TOMORROW.

### GOVERNOR GILCHRIST TO PRESS BUTTON

In Connection With the Fair Will Be a Race Meet to Last Thirty Days—Five Events Daily Except Sunday.

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 2.—Tomorrow the newly elected governor of Florida, Gen. Albert W. Gilchrist, will press a button and electricity will perform the remainder of the work of opening every gate on the portion of the Tampa Bay hotel grounds set apart for the holding of the Florida Mid-Winter exposition.

Coincident with the opening of the gates, business in Tampa will be suspended for five minutes and the whistles of every vessel in port will shriek out a gladsome welcome to this annual event.

In connection with the exposition will be a race meet lasting for thirty days, in which some of the best ponies of the country will compete. Five events will be run daily except Sunday during the fair and for a week after the fair closes, which will be February 27.

Besides the semi-tropical displays of products of Florida soil, the varied mineral display and the industrial exhibits, the fair this year will be unique in that it will embody exhibits from far off states and countries.

The state of Washington has sent a display of apples which recently took first premium at the Spokane apple show and other communities in which Florida products have been shown have come back at the Peninsular state with products of their own, characteristic of their climate and soil. In this respect the exposition will partake of the nature of a national event.

## HOME BURNS WHILE ABSENT

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Elliott Were Attending a Funeral.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Stanton Elliott, a young farmer residing on the Gorrell farm, nine miles north of Sedalia, and wife, left home early this morning to drive overland to Miller's chapel, ten miles distant, to attend the double funeral of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Ezell.

At 11 o'clock this morning, while Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were en route to the funeral, their home, without an occupant at the time, caught fire, and together with all of their household goods, the greater part of which were recently purchased, was totally destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott had not learned of the fire late this afternoon, and their loss could not be estimated by neighbors. The cause of the fire is unknown. Mr. Elliott carried insurance with Messrs. Sprecher & Monroe.

The house was owned by Lon Durley of Hughesville, and the furniture it contained was purchased by Mr. Elliott about two months ago, when he was married to Miss Sallie Aldridge.

## A "SLEUTH" DROPPED IN

Came Here From Jefferson City to Visit Old Friends.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

W. E. Sweaney, the well known deputy sheriff of Cole county, who claims to be a mixture of Irish, German, French, Bohemian and Italian, was in Sedalia last night, shaking hands with friends and mingling with the authorities on matters purely of a private nature.

Sweaney is a demure looking individual, but he is a terror to Jefferson City crooks. His genial disposition, coupled with other attributes seldom found in a "sleuth," have popularized him from St. Louis to Kansas City, especially here, where he is favorably known by all.

### Mr. Ellis Operated Upon.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

J. R. Ellis was operated upon for a tumor by Drs. Dunlap, Trader and W. T. Bishop, the latter of Hughesville, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. David Roberts, wife of a traveling grocery salesman, 114 West Jefferson street, Monday, and is reported as resting nicely.

# FEARED TOTAL LOSS OF HAIR

**Scalp had been Scaly for Some Time —After an Attack of Typhoid Fever his Hair Began to Fall Out by the Handful—Now It is**

**THICKER THAN EVER THANKS TO CUTICURA**

"About two years ago I was troubled with my head being scaly, like dandruff but heavier—although I wash my head once a week always. It never gave me any trouble such as itching or smarting and I never noticed any falling of the hair. But shortly after that I had an attack of typhoid fever and I was out of the hospital possibly two months when I first noticed the loss of hair, my scalp being still scaly. I started to use a dandruff cure to no effect whatever. And I used a quinine preparation quite freely which did no good either. Whether it was the effect of the fever or some scalp disease I don't know, but I had actually lost hope of saving any hair at all. I could brush it off my coat by the handful. It got so bad that I didn't need to comb it any more — in fact I was afraid to. My brother, who had used the Cuticura Remedies with satisfaction, advised me to try them. After using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and nearly a box of Cuticura Ointment, the change was surprising. My scalp is now clear and healthy as could be and my hair thicker than ever, whereas six months ago I had my mind made up to be bald in a short time. I will have a photograph taken later and send you one. William F. Steese, 5812 Broad St., Pittsburg, Penn., May 7 and 21, '08."



Warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, assisted when necessary by Cuticura Resolvent (liquid or pills), afford instant relief in the most distressing forms of itching, burning, scaly, crusted humors, eczemas, rashes, inflammations, irritations and chafings of infancy and childhood, permit rest and sleep and point to a speedy and permanent cure, in the majority of cases, when all other remedies fail.

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.


## THE HISTORY ENTERPRISE

**Blue Book of Pettis County and Sedalia Receiving Encouragement.**

During the past week unusual encouragement of the History of Pettis County, was received from the very best citizenship of city and county. The encouragement was of a substantial kind—the kind that helps greatly towards the expense of the undertaking.

Plans for the work are advancing rapidly and it can be said without any degree of boasting whatever that the book will be a credit to the community and to every individual who will be represented in it. The endeavor of the publishers is and will continue to be, to print a book that will be a perpetual record of the growth of city and cunty and the lives of those who have made that growth possible, something that can be handed rown to children and grandchildren as containing those things of which the recipient can be proud.

The preliminary work of the history is being rapidly completed and with the interest already shown continuing it should not be long before the publication is made.

## "DAN" KEEFE CONFIRMED

**Opposition Withdrawn to Immigration Commissioner.**

Washington, Jan. 30.—The nomination of Daniel J. Keefe to be commissioner general of immigration has been confirmed by the senate.

Mr. Keefe's nomination has been held up since December 8, because of the charge that the office was given him because of his assistance in getting labor votes for the republican ticket in the late campaign.

**Evangelistic Meeting oFr Men.**

An evangelistic meeting for men will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. room, corner Fifth and Ohio streets. Don't fail to come and bring a friend. Every man in Sedalia invited.

## RECORD OF BLIZZARDS

ENGINEER FRANK JAMES FURNISHES IT TO DEMOCRAT-SENTINEL.

**HE HAS BEEN KEEPING IT FOR 25 YEARS**

**The Data Shows That All of Our Real Bad Storms in Sedalia Began Either on Tuesdays or Fridays**

Engineer Frank James, of the M., K. & T., who has kept a record of the weather in Sedalia for the past twenty-five years, furnishes the Democrat-Sentinel with the following data, which shows that all of the blizzards that have occurred in that time started either on Tuesday or Friday, so far as Sedalia is concerned. The Tuesday record follows:

**Blizzards on Tuesday.**

Tuesday, February 14th, 1886—Severe blizzards and change of 44 degrees in 12 hours; 10 below zero.

Tuesday, December 3rd, 1895—Bitter cold day; 4 below zero with high wind.

Tuesday, January 23, 1894—Bitter cold day; 19 below zero but no wind.

Tuesday, February 13th, 1894—Very cold and probably deepest snow in 25 years.

Sunday, March 25.—Easter—Severe blizzard with mud and snow.

Tuesday, November 26, 1894—Severe blizzard with mud and snow.

Tuesday, November 26, 1894—Severe blizzard; mud and snow.

Tuesday, February 5, 1895—Bitter cold day; 10 below zero.

Tuesday, February 7, 1899—Blizzard and coldest day in 25 years; 27 degrees below zero.

Tuesday, April 11, 1900—Severe change of 40 degrees and 6 inches of snow fell around Sedalia.

Tuesday, December 27, 1902—Severe blizzard; 10 below zero, but no wind.

Tuesday, February 27, 1900—Severe blizzard and heavy snow; about zero all day.

Tuesday, March 4, 1902—Severe blizzard with wind; 8 degrees below.

**The Friday Blizzards.**

Friday, December 4th, 1885—Terrific storm, snow and wind; 10 degrees below zero.

Friday, January 8, 1886—Blizzard with snow and sudden change of 40 degrees and 20 degrees below zero.

Friday, February 5 1886—Blizzard and sudden change; 10 degrees below zero.

Friday, February 26, 1886—Blizzard with terrific wind; 8 degrees below zero.

Friday, December 30, 1887—Bitter cold day; 21 degrees below zero but no wind.

Friday, January 13, 1888—Blizzard, sudden change of 54 degrees and 18 degrees below zero with fierce wind.

Friday, January 20, 1888—Bitter cold; 16 degrees below zero with no wind.

Friday, January 22, 1889—Severe change of 47 degrees and 8 below zero.

Friday, April 3, 1891—Very cold day with 6 inches of snow.

Friday, March 3, 1893—Bitter cold day; 4 below zero.

Friday, January 3, 1896—Bitter cold and 14 below zero.

Friday, January 26, 1900—Bitter cold day; 11 below zero.

**Conductor Killed in Wreck**

One man was killed and four others seriously injured Friday, in a collision between a freight and construction train on the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad at Beaver Falls.

The dead man is Conductor W. G. Wagner, who was crushed under a caboose, and the injured are foreigners.

**His Body on the Tracks.**

The body of Louis Massine, a Belgian, 45 years old, was found on the Missouri Pacific railway tracks at the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul crossing, one and one-fourth miles north of Sheffield, by a yardman last night says Saturday's Kansas City Times.

He lived near the Missouri Pacific elevator in the East bottoms. It is not known when he was killed. The body was brought to Kansas City on a switch engine by Dr. Harry Czarlinsky, a deputy coroner, and taken to Carroll-Davidson's undertaking rooms.


## Safeguard of Health Free

The army and the navy are the safeguards of the nation, but the individual body also requires its safeguard. By twenty years' use in American homes of every shade and degree of wealth and intelligence, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has been acclaimed "The Nation's Safeguard of Health."

No remedy but a laxative could win this laurel, for the stomach and the bowels are the basis of all health, and Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is for the stomach and bowels. Parents are giving it to their children today who were given it by their parents years ago. It is not only a wonderful cure in constipation, indigestion and dyspepsia, sour stomach, heartburn, flatulency, torpid liver and such complaints, but it contains wonderful tonic properties that build up the muscles of the stomach and intestines so that they again work normally and naturally.

It is especially adapted to the uses of women, children, old people and all others who need a gentle laxative and who cannot stand violent salts and cathartic pills. This has made it the family laxative and it can be obtained of any druggist at 50 cents or $1 a bottle, with the guarantee, but if you are a stranger to it and would rather try it free before buying, send your name to the doctor and a free test bottle will be sent to your home. In this way tens of thousands of people are learning to use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

Louis Edwards, of Potosi, Miss., wrote the doctor as follows: "I believe in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I will never use any other medicine for stomach troubles but Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The sample has convinced me of its merits." Now you use it, either in the free trial or the regular 50 cents or $1 bottle, and you will soon share Mr. Edwards' opinion.



If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 509 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

**W. E. BARD DRUG CO.**


## DR. PRITCHETT INDICTED

**He's Charged With Performing Operation on Bride.**

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30—On an indictment charging him with fourth-degree manslaughter, in connection with the death of his bride of a week, Dr. Paul Pritchett was arrested yesterday in his drug store at 2947 Lawton avenue.

The indictment which was returned yesterday with the grand jury's final report, alleges that Dr. Pritchett performed a criminal operation.

Mrs. Pritchett died at the Laclede hotel on November 30. Dr. Pritchett was placed under arrest at the time, but was not held by a coroner's jury. He declined to make a statement yesterday when locked up in the Central district holdover.

Mrs. Pritchett was Miss Bertha Holt, of Lebanon, Mo., and was a relative of former State Senator Frank Farris.

## BOOTLEGGER KILLS HIMSELF

**Former Street Car Conductor Takes Carbolic Acid.**

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 30.—James Durnell committed suicide at the home of his parents, Mountain View, sixteen miles east of Willow Springs, yesterday, in a fit of despondency because he had been convicted of bootlegging.

Durnell had been a street car conductor in Kansas City until three weeks ago, when he came to Willow Springs and began bootlegging. He was sentenced to six months in jail and to pay a $300 fine last week for bootlegging. He was released on $700 bond when he appealed the case to the circuit court.

Durnell took carbolic acid in his room at his parents' home. The body was discovered by his mother.

## WAS THE OLDEST AMERICAN?

**West Virginian Dies at Advanced Age of 115 Years.**

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 30.—Henderson Cremeans, known to be the oldest man in West Virginia, and probably the oldest man in the United States, is dead near Point Pleasant, Mason county, aged 115 years.

His father and mother are said to have been the first couple married west of the Blue Ridge mountains in Virginia. His mother died at 129, his wife at 101. He was one of the first settlers of the Ohio valley, coming here from Virginia at the age of 18.

**Wabash Fireman Killed.**

A Wabash engine pulling a caboose only ran into the rear end of a Wabash train on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas tracks at Hazzard, Mo., Friday.

Jesse M. Burton, fireman, of Moberly, was killed and several persons were injured.

## KILLED A WOMAN FOR $2

**A ST. LOUIS MAN GETS THIRTY-FIVE YEARS IN STATE PENITENTIARY.**

**STRANGE STORY IS TOLD BY DEFENDANT**

**Forced a Stocking Down Her Throat to Keep Her From Screaming, but Had Not the Last Intention of Murder.**

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—A jury in Judge Allen's court Friday found Thomas De Witt guilty of second degree murder and fixed his punishment at thirty-five years in the penitentiary. DeWitt killed Mrs. Adeline Muller in her home, 918 Lynch street, August 12, last.

He had been a boarder at Mrs. Muller's home, and on the day of the tragedy he went there to visit his former landlady. On the witness stand he testified that he had no intention of stopping, but Mrs. Muller called him across the street and asked him how he was getting along.

He told her that he needed money and asked her to lend him $2. When Mrs. Muller refused to let him have the money he forced his way into the house and fought with the woman.

They struggled through the front room and into the bedroom. There DeWitt threw Mrs. Muller into a chair and stuffed a stocking down her throat.

He testified that he wanted to keep her from screaming and that he did not mean to kill her.

After stifling the woman's cries he left the house, taking Mrs. Muller's purse from a table.

She was found dead several hours later.

## AN 18-YEAR-OLD DEED FOUND

**Found in a Hay Loft, Perfects Title to Valuable Property.**

Columbia, Mo., Jan. 30.—A deed, 18 years old, was found today in a flour sack hid in a hay loft. The deed perfects the title to 200 acres of land near Columbia and will cause the dismissal of a suit of ejectment. In 1891 James Jefferson deeded his farm to his nephew, W. T. Berry. Thirty days later the land was transferred by deed from Berry to Jefferson. The first deed was recorded here.

Last summer Jefferson was found dead from heart trouble by the roadside. Berry then took possession of the farm. Owen Hopper, who works fr Berry, found a sack of papers in the hay. These he turned over to the administrator of the Jefferson estate. The first paper found was the deed from Berry to Jefferson. This establishes the title.

## A FLAW IN A LIQUOR LAW

**One Portion of It Held Unconstitutional By a Wichita Judge.**

Wichita, Kas., Jan. 30.—An important decision has been rendered in the Sedgwick county district court by Judge T. C. Wilson regarding the state law which prohibits any person having intoxicating liquor within one-half mile of a polling place. Judge Wilson held that the law was unconstitutional.

The question came up in the case of W. S. Goosey, who was arrested election day for keeping liquor in his place of business.

It was held by his attorneys that the statute was an abridgement of article 15 of the Kansas constitution and also that it was in violation of the bill of rights of the state. Judge Wilson sustained the contention.

## DOUBLE FUNERAL MONDAY

**Little Girl Does Not Know of Her Parents' Death.**

The remains of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Ezell, victims of the recent Denver & Rio Grande wreck near Dotsero, Colo., whose bodies arrived in Sedalia Thursday, will be taken to Miller's chapel, near Longwood, Monday, where funeral services will be conducted, after which interment will be made nearby.

The funeral cortege will leave McLaughlin Bros.' undertaking parlors at 6 o'clock Monday morning, and drive overland to Miller's chapel.

Margaret Ezell, the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Ezell, who sustained serious injuries in the wreck, has not yet been apprised of the death of her parents.

**Former Sedalian's Fine.**

Among traffic men there is much curiosity concerning Fred A. Wann, a former Sedalia, but now general traffic manager o fthe Salt Lake route in connection with the Alton rebate case.

He was fined $10,000 and a rehearing was denied by the United States supreme court. The fine will therefore have to be paid, but whether it will be paid by Mr. Wann or the Alton is not known.

**For a Clerk's Injuries, $15,000.**

A verdict for $15,000 damages in favor of Clarence E. Enos and against the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company was returned by a jury in Judge Park's division of the circuit court in Kansas City Friday afternoon.

Enos formerly was a checking clerk in the company's freight house in the West bottoms. He said his nervous system was wrecked when a packed surrey fell on him in August, 1907.

## $600,000 FIRE IN ST. PAUL

**High Wind Aided Conflagration and Six Buildings Destroyed.**

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 30.—Fire, started in a department store on Seventh street last evening, for a while threatened to devastate a large part of the business district of the city. As it was, half a dozn buildings were almost wholly destroyed, with an aggregate loss of about $600,000.

Favored by a high northwest wind, burning cinders were thrown flying over the business streets of the city, and the occupants of many buildings began to remove their property. Minneapolis sent over an engine and a hose company. Every piece of apparatus in St. Paul was used.

## KANSAS CITYAN ACQUITTED

**Protecting Sister From Husband Cleared of Murder Charge.**

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—After being out less than an hour, a jury returned a verdict last night acquitting Frank J. Engleman, of Kansas City, of the murder of John T. Wilson.

The state claimed that Engleman shot Wilson to death in the latter's home soon after he knew he had filed suit for divorce from his wife, who is Engleman's sister. Engleman claimed he was protecting his sister from her husband.

## CREMATED ON HONEYMOON

**Texas Bridegroom Burns to Death in Oklahoma Fire.**

Ardmore, Ok., Jan. 30—During a disastrous fire here yesterday, which destroyed the Roberts boarding house, the inmates, with the exception of T. V. Littlejohn and wife, escaped in their night clothes. Littlejohn was burned to death and his wife is in a sanitarium seriously injured.

They were married on Thursday at Davis, Ok., and were just beginning their honeymoon trip to McKinney, Texas, home of the groom.

## THIRTY-TWO JOINTS CLOSED

**Near Beer Joints Knocked Out By Injunction at Waxahachie.**

Waxahachie, Tex., Jan. 30.—Thirty-two joints where near beer was sold have been closed here by the sheriff upon authority of sweeping injunctions issued by District Judge Hawkins.

County Attorney Pippin secured the writs, which were made returnable at the February term of court.

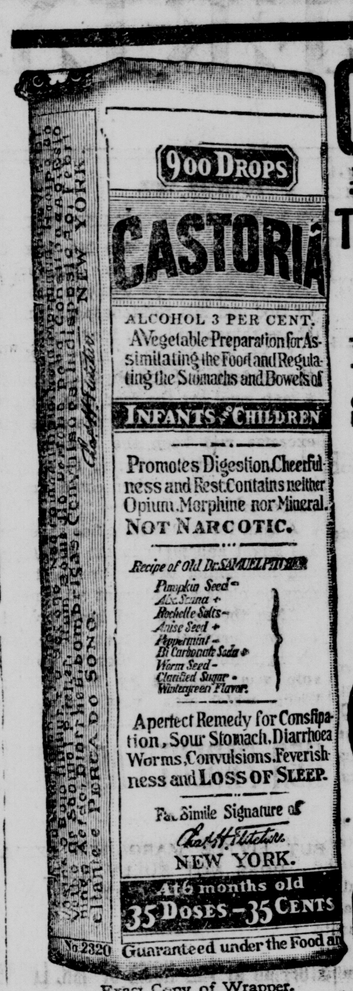
**Against the Katy for $1,102.**

At Nevada, Mo., Friday, the jury in the personal injury suit of David Baker vs. the M., K. & T. railroad company returned a verdict finding for the plaintiff damages of $1,102.

The suit was to recover $2,000 for injuries received by Mr. Baker in a runaway caused by a velocipede car on the M., K. & T. tracks. His arm was badly broken and he was in other ways injured.

**Burial of Mr. McArtor.**

The funeral services over the remains of Henry T. McArtor, the Lamonte druggist, who died Thursday noon, was held in the Baptist church there at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. Thomas Potter officiating. The following life-long friends of the deceased served as pall bearers: O. P. Harris, A. F. Wimer, R. E. Guthrie, W. E. Reavis, L. T. Shaw and A. J. Hughes. The interment was in the Lamonte cemetery.


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## FARMERS WANT PROTECTION

**Union Officials to Lobby for High Tariff on Jute.**

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 30.—D. J. Neill and W. N. Loudermilk, representing the Texas Farmers' union, will leave Sunday for Washington, where they will fight for placing a tariff on jute.

Farmers want to make the tariff on jute prohibitive.

## GREAT DAMAGE IS DONE

**By Wind Storm That Raged for Twenty-Four Hours.**

Associated Press.

Muskogee, Ok., Jan. 30.—Great damage has been done throughout the greater part of Oklahoma by the terrific wind storm that swept the state for the past twenty-four hours.

Business is practically suspended.

**Scandal in Mexican Postal Affairs.**

Hearst News Service.

Mexico City, Mex., Jan. 30.—Gigantic postal frauds have been unearthed by the secret service men of the Mexican Republic. It is also said that there has been fraud in cashing remittances by many postmasters.

## BLEW HIM OFF THE BRIDGE

**Charles Bernard Was Going to Work When He Met Death.**

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 30.—Charles Bernard, a plasterer, of 623 South Fifth street, Kansas City, Kas., was going to work in Argentine early yesterday morning.

The wind was sweeping down the Kaw valley like a hurricane. Bernard was walking along the high approach to the old Southern wagon bridge when he was blown from his feet.

The wooden railing had been carried away in the night. Bernard was helpless. He was carried off the approach and fell sixty feet, striking on his head on a log lying on the sandbar within a few feet of the water. He was killed instantly.

Bernard was 48 years old. He left a family.

## MORE DUCKS THAN EVER

**Sportsmen Report Unusual Success—Season's Very Early.**

Ottawa, Kas., Jan. 30.—Duck shooting in January! That a little remarkable, even for Kansas. Still, it's a common pastime just now. The ponds, lakes and creeks are said to be "alive" with the game.

Ottawa sportsmen have had rare success in the last few days. They report all the ordinary varieties, mallard, sprigg, teal, pin-tail, and occasionally a red-head, to be found in county waters.

W. G. Kienzle and Otto Baum had fine success on a string of ponds near Richmond the other day and Charley Bird and W. H. Weekley killed a fine bag on Silver lake—all mallards.

**Death of an Engineer**

Word has been received here of the death of William Arthur Murdock, a locomotive engoneer, whose wife was the founder of the G. I. A. to the B. of L. E.

Mr. Murdock died in Chicago on January 26, aged 70 years. Mrs. Murdock is well known throughout the United States and will have the sympathy of a legion of friends in her bereavement.

**Robbers Get $10,000.**

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 30.—The vault of the Cariton State bank at Cariton, Tex., was Thursday night blown open by robbers, who secured nearly $10,000, all in currency.

**Marriage License Issued.**

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Charles O'Bryan and Miss Fannie Son, both of Sedalia.


# S.S.S. DRIVES OUT RHEUMATISM

Rheumatism is in reality an internal inflammation—a diseased condition of the blood cells which supply the nourishment and strength necessary to sustain our bodies. Uric acid, an irritating, inflammatory accumulation, gets into the circulation because of physical irregularities, and then instead of nourishing and invigorating the body, the blood irritates and inflames the different nerves, tissues, muscles and joints, because of its impure, acrid condition. The pains and aches and other disagreeable and dangerous symptoms of Rheumatism can never be permanently cured until every particle of the cause is driven from the blood. S. S. S. does this because it is a perfect blood purifier. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble, purifies and cleanses the circulation, invigorates the blood, and completely drives Rheumatism from the system. Plasters, liniments, soothing lotions, etc., may be used for the temporary relief and comfort they bring, but a cure cannot be effected until S. S. S. has removed the cause. It frees the blood of every impurity and makes it a rich, health sustaining fluid, to bring permanent relief and comfort to those who suffer with Rheumatism. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

# FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder Disease not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

**Cures Backache**
**Corrects Irregularities**
**Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes**

For Sale By the Arlington Pharmacy.

# STOVES

*Heaters & Ranges*

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## WALKING 'ROUND THE WORLD

**Philadelphia Family, Facing Wintry Storm, Reaches Pittsburg.**

Pittsburg, Feb. 1.—After facing the worst winter storm of the year for two days of their journey across the Allegheny mountains, Karl Moeller, his wife and two little daughters, aged 8 and 10 years, tramped into Pittsburg last night. They left Philadelphia January 15 on a walking trip around the world, on a wager.

"The little girls are standing the trip much better than their mother," said Moeller.

They will remain here until the weather moderates.

## SHOE CLERKS TO RESIGN

**They Are Going on the Road for the Courtney Shoe Co.**

(From Monday's Daily.)

Charles and Ted Clark, who for the past six years have been employed as salesmen at William Courtney's shoe store, on Ohio avenue, will tender their resignations within a few days, to take effect on February 15, and shortly after that date both will accept positions as traveling salesmen for the Courtney Shoe company, of St. Louis, with territory in Nebraska.

The Messrs. Clark are two of Sedalias most efficient shoe clerks, and a legion of friends will join the Democrat-Sentinel in wishing them much success in their new undertaking.

**Meeting of Trustees.**

The trustees of Sacred Heart church met Sunday afternoon and elected the following officers to serve the ensuing year:

Chairman—Rev. Fr. S. Neiberg.
Secretary—Charles Gelven.
Treasurer—Joseph Lennartz.

The only other business transacted was of a routine nature.


**WORN OUT.**

That's the way you feel about the lungs when you have a hacking cough. It's foolishness to let it go on and trust to luck to get over it, when Ballard's Horehound Syrup will stop the cough and heal the lungs. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.


**Anxiety Over German Steamer.**

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—Considerable anxiety is felt here over the German steamship, Maria Rickmore, from Grenock, Scotland, now more than ten days overdue.

**The Club Did Not Meet.**

Owing to the bad weather, the meeting of the Gentlemen's Driving club, set for Friday night, was postponed.


# Meat Smoked In a Minute

The modern method of smoking meat by use of our liquid smoke accomplishes everything that the old method can and has advantages that the old method has not.

Its use SAVES TIME, SAVES LOSS, SAVES MONEY. The meat is preserved better; it is protected against mold and insects; it is not shrunken in weight.

Call at the store for a free sample bottle, also a copy of the little book telling how to have the finest meats possible.

**Dan Wilcox**

**DRUGGIST**

**104 WEST MAIN STREET.**


## W. C. BROWN, PRESIDENT

**OF ONE OF THE GREATEST RAILWAY SYSTEMS IN THE ENTIRE COUNTRY.**

**HE STARTED IN LIFE AS A SECTION HAND**

**Began His Career in the West, and in a Frame Dwelling at Waterloo, Iowa, He and His Bride Started Career.**

New York, Feb. 1.—W. C. Brown, who started life as a section hand, today assumed the presidency of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Co., succeeding W. H. Newman. Mr. Brown's rise from the humblest station to the highest in one of the greatest railway systems of the world forms a remarkable commentary on the opportunities open to ambitious Americans.

Many a king rules over less of an empire than that which now passes under Mr. Brown's control. The New York Central has a peaceful standing army of 150,000 employes. Its expenditures annually are not less than $150,000,000 of which $75,000,000 comes from the parent railroad alone. Few are the offices of state which compare in dignity and power with the head of a great railroad system.

The New York Central system comprises ten roads—the New York Central and Hudson River, the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, the Michigan Central, the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis, the Pittsburg and Lake Erie, the Lake Erie and Western, the Chicago, Indiana and Southern, the Lake Erie, Alliance and Wheeling, the Rutland, and the Indiana Harbor railroad of Illinois. It also operates the Boston and Albany railroad under lease.

The man who now rules over this railroad empire not only began at the bottom, but climbed practically every rung of the ladder. Before he was 16 years old—he is 55 now—he had become a section hand on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul. The rungs of the ladder from that starting point are labeled telegraph operator, train dispatcher, chief train dispatcher, trainmaster, assistant superintendent, superintendent, general manager, vice president.

Although Mr. Brown was born in Herkimer county, he started his railroad career in the west, and three is a little frame house at Waterloo, Ia., where he and his bride began humbly their career together. He was the sort of section hand who does not care to stay on that job, and so he took to practicing on the telegraph instrument in his odd moments. It was only nine months after his entrance into the employ of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul that he became a telegraph operator. In two years more he had gone to the Illinois Central as a train dispatcher.

He went from the Illinois Central to the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, and then to the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, each time as a train dispatcher. It was in the latter place that he first attracted the attention of the powers in the road.

It was in 1880 that Brown became chief train dispatcher on the Burlington, and one year later was promoted to trainmaster. Three years more and he was assistant superintendent. From that time on promotions came with even greater rapidity, until in 1901 he found himself vice president and general manager of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, and six months later was vice president of the New York Central in addition. His rise from that to senior vice president of all the New York Central lines is a matter of recent railroad history.

Mr. Brown is a short man, but well put together. The impression made on first meeting him is that of extraordinary forcefulness and energy. He has a faculty for disposing of things in the shortest possible space of time, and an equally strong one for analyzing propositions down to the backbone.

He talks quickly, energetically and very clearly. In the morning it takes him only a quarter of an hour to go through his mail, and then he is ready for interviews and consultations with departmental chiefs and officials. In talking to a caller, he can get at the marrow of the subject before his visitor can finish outlining his proposition.


**LOONEY & BLOESS LUMBER CO. FOR RUBBER ROOFING, $1.50 PER SQUARE.**


**The Missouri Pacific Sued.**

In accordance with the request of Carthage, Mo., citizens who desire a ready means of communication with Alba, Purcell, Neck City and other intermediate points on the Missouri Pacific, Prosecuting Attorney B. H. Coon has filed information against the road charging violation of the criminal statutes in failing to operate a passenger train over their Carthage & Western branch for the past thirty-one days.

It is said that prominent citizens of Carthage, Alba, Purcell and other towns affected have subscribed to a fund which is to be used to assist the prosecution.

The statute under which complaint was filed was passed at the last session of the state legislature. It provides that railroads shall operate at least one passenger train daily over branch lines under a penalty of from $100 to $500 each day in which such service is not made.

A similar case in which Mexico, Mo., was interested was satisfactorily settled by mandamus proceedings which were used to force the Chicago & Alton to restore a train that had been discontinued.

## ESTABLISH COTTON GRADES

**Committee Convened in Washington for That Purpose.**

Washington, Feb. 1.—Nine official grades of cotton will be established by a committee which convened in Washington today. The meeting was called by act of congress and Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, appointed the members.

Among them are J. A. Airey, New Orleans; Joseph Akers, Atlanta; F. W. Crump, Memphis; John Martin, Paris, Texas; George W. Neville, New York, and Lewis W. Parker, Greenville, S. C., all members of widely known cotton firms.

Nearly all the important cotton exchanges of this country and Europe have contributed their standards free of cost for the use of these experts in establishing the grades. The growers, manufacturers and exchanges have cordially assisted in many ways.

The cotton exchanges of the following cities have contributed copies of their standards: Augusta and Macon, Ga.; Bremen, Germany; Charleston S. C.; Charlotte, N. C.; Galveston and Waco, Texas; Little Rock, Ark., Liverpool and Manchester, England; Memphis, Tenn.; Mobile, Ala.; New Orleans, New York City, and Vicksburg, Miss.

## PEACH CROP IS INJURED

**In Some Sections the Extreme Cold Will Cause Total Loss.**

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 1.—George T Tippin, president of the Missouri State Horticultural society, has received telegraphic advices from the peach growing districts of South Missouri and North Arkansas, to the effect that the crop is practically killed in most sections visited by the blizzard which raged last week.

In Northern Arkansas not more than 15 per cent of an average crop will be had this year. To the south of the Boston mountains and in the Fort Smith district there will be 75 per cent of a full crop.

In the Koshkonong district in South Missouri the storm did very little damage. On the highlands of the Ozarks, Secretary Tippin says the entire crop has been destroyed.


A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard Ala.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation, 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the burns.


**The Death of Clay Hickox.**

Clay Hickox died at his home in California, Mo., Tuesday, January 26, 1909, of consumption, aged about 51 years. A wife and three children all boys, survive. Deceased was a son of the late Chas. G. Hickox one of the pioneer merchants of California.—Tipton Times, 28th.


**$5 REWARD**

**LOST STOCK DOG.**

Large black Shepherd, marked crop and split in right ear; some white on breast and neck; been gone nearly twenty days. Address Julius Cotten, Sedalia.


**Down to Zero Saturday.**

The mercury in Sedalia at 7 o'clock Saturday morning registered zero.


# Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Health Talks



No man is stronger than his stomach. Make your stomach strong and you thereby fortify your system against the attacks of a long list of diseases which originate in the stomach and must be reached, if at all through the stomach. Thus torpid, or lazy liver, biliousness, dyspepsia, impure blood and various skin affections originate in weak stomach and consequent poor nutrition. The same is true of certain bronchial, throat and lung affections.

## Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

***Strengthens the stomach, invigorates the liver, purifies the blood making it rich, red and vitalizing and thereby curing the above and kindred affections.***

It's foolish and often dangerous to experiment with new or but slightly tested medicines—sometimes urged upon the afflicted as "just as good" or better than "Golden Medical Discovery." The dishonest dealer sometimes *insist* that *he* knows what the proffered substitute is made of, but *you* don't and it is decidedly for *your* interest that *you* should know what *you* are taking into *your* stomach and system expecting it to act as a curative. To *him* its only a difference of profit. Therefore, *insist* on having Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If not promptly supplied trade elsewhere.

*Behind Dr. Pierce's Medicines stands the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, thoroughly equipped and with a Staff of Skilled Specialists to treat the more difficult cases of Chronic diseases whether requiring Medical or Surgical skill for their cure. Write for free* ***INVALIDS' GUIDE BOOK.***

Send 31 one-cent stamps to pay cost of mailing *only* on a free copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1008 pages, cloth-bound. Address: World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Pres., Buffalo, N.Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and strengthen Stomach, Liver and Bowels.


## AN ACCIDENTAL SLAYER

**DAUGHTER OF BRIG. GENERAL GIRARD IS THE VICTIM OF A TRAGEDY.**

**SHOT ACROSS AN AIRSHAFT IN CHICAGO**

**Revolver Discharged by a Brother of Mayor Busse While Demonstrating the Use of the Gun to a Servant.**

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 1.—While standing in a bedroom dressing at the home of her father, Brigadier General A. C. Girard, United States army, retired, in the Walton apartments, Mrs. L. C. Tuckerman, aged 32 years, wife of a fruit dealer of Milton, N. Y., was killed last night by a bullet from a revolver accidentally discharged by George Busse, brother of Mayor Fred A. Busse, in the latter's apartments across the airshaft from the Girard rooms.

George Busse was demonstrating he use of the weapon to Bertha Lambke, his house maid, so that the woman might use it in case of burglars. Suddenly the gun was discharged. The bullet sped through the two windows of the Busse and Girard apartments on the fifth floor and pierced Mrs. Tuckerman's heart.

When struck by the bullet she staggered into a hallway. General Girard and Mrs. Tuckerman's 5-year-old son, Alfred, rushed out from an adjoining room.

"Oh, father, I've been shot and am dying," cried Mrs. Tuckerman, and expired.

A moment later there was a pounding at the door of the Girard apartment and Mayor Busse and his brother, George, came in. Mayor Busse's wife and his mother followed. The mayor summoned a physician and notified the police by telephone.

The mayor immediately instituted a police investigation, but the relatives of Mrs. Tuckerman exonerated his brother of all blame, General Girard expressing himself as satisfied that the shooting was purely accidental. George Busse, who was bowed with grief over the accident, was not interferred with by the police during the coroner's inquest today.

Mrs. Tuckerman was known in army circles throughout the country. In military society she was referred to as "one of the beautiful Girard sisters."

The Walton apartments, in which the shooting occurred, are at 305-7 North Clark street, and the building is one of the landmarks of the north side neighborhood.

**Busse Was Exonerated.**

Chicago, Feb. 1.—George Busse, who last night accidentally shot and killed Mrs. Lucius C. Tuckerman, in the Walton apartment building, was exonerated by the coroner's jury today.

**Will Wed This Evening.**

(From Sunady's Daily.)

A marriage license was issued here late Friday afternoon to B. A. Bridges and Miss Osa P. Self, both of Syracuse, who will be married at the bride's home tonight.

**Pace Got Off Lightly.**

(From Monday's Daily.)

Lloyd Pace, who was arrested last week for feloniously assaulting George Rothganger, an extra gang laborer, was fined $1 and costs by Jude Rickman today, after Rothganger had presented to the court a written statement to the effect that he did not desire to prosecute Pace and recommended the minimum punishment. W. D. O'Bannon represented the prisoner.

**Panama President Denies Charges.**

Panama, Feb. 1.—The recent charges made in the American congress by Representative Rainey against the president of Panama and others have brought out a denial in the form of a signed statement from the president and sixteen members of the national assembly.

## LEFT A FAUCET OPEN

**In Consequence Business Suspended for Two Days.**

The machinery, equipment and stock of shoes of the Queen City Shoe Repairing Co., 117 South Ohio avenue, was damaged to the extent of $250 last night by dripping water, flowing from a faucet that had been left open by some unknown person.

The discovery was made this morning when the owners opened for business. Water was dripping from the ceiling and had flooded the shoe company's floor, necessitating a two days' shut-down.

There is no insurance.

**Birthday of an Engineer.**

Milt Stahl, one of the Missouri Pacific's best known engineers, who has been running on the Boonville branch for the past twenty-eight years, was 63 years old on Monday, January 25, says the Bunceton Eagle. He has not been in good health for some time and had not been on his run for the past two or three weeks until yesterday.

His friends gave him a very happy surprise at his home in Tipton Monday night. He is a member of the Red Men's lodge of Versailles and several of the members came over from that place Monday and took dinner with him.

After the supper hour Monday night a large number of friends gathered at Mr. Stahl's home and presented him with a gold headed silk umbrella and a smoking jacket, the presentation speech being made by Charles Messerly, of Tipton. The train crew of the branch road also gave him a handsome rocking chair.

The celebration of Mr. Stahl's 63d birthday anniversary was an event greatly enjoyed by himself and the many friends who were with him Monday, and the Eagle trusts that he may live to see many more birthdays as happy as was that of last Monday.

**Divine Celebrates Birthday.**

Rev. L. J. Baughman, one of Pettis county's oldest ministers, Sunday celebrated the 69th anniversary of his birth, and in honor of the occasion entertained his children and grandchildren at a family dinner at his home, 223 West Cooper street, at the noon hour.

A fine menu was served, and the time was pleasantly spent in reminiscences, after which the guests returned home, wishing the aged divine the happiness of celebrating many more birthday anniversaries.

**A $19,000 Damage Verdict.**

Mark B. Hamble, a Southern Pacific conductor, received a verdict for $19,000 damages against the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad in the federal court in Los Angeles, Calif., Saturday for personal injuries received in a wreck at Eechapi in February, 1903. He sued for $25,000.

As affecting the railroad employes this is considered a very important verdict. Hamble contended that the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe train entered the block upon which he was running before it had any righ to do so. The Order of Railroad Conductors aided Hamble in the suit.


**ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL?**

Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy, Inflammation of the Bladder, Bad Blood and Nervous Troubles caused by Sick Kidneys.

Dan Wilcox, the well known Druggist, of 104 West Main street, Sedalia, Mo., knows by experience that HINDIPO will cure all forms of Kidney and Nervous Troubles, and will guarantee it in all cases.

Can't you afford to try it at his risk? It costs you nothing if it don't do the work.

Sent by mail to any address, prepaid, on receipt of 50 cents. Six boxes, $2.50, under a positive guarantee.


## MEETING OF SOROSIS LADIES

**Regular Weekly Program Carried Out This Afternoon.**

(From Monday's Daily.)

The ladies of Sorosis are holding their regular weekly meeting this afternoon, the program being as follows:

"Current events," Mrs. D. H. Smith, chairman, assisted by Mesdames W. D. Steele, S. G. Mason, S. M. Lesher, J. P. Leake and S. G. Kelly, sr.

Sorosis Monthly Magazine, with Mrs. Cameron Garrett in charge as editor, and special articles by the following ladies:

"Famous Birthdays," Mrs. F. H. Brinkerhoff.

"National Waterways," by Mrs. J. W. McClain.

"Wall Street," postponed because of the illness of Mrs. E. B. Burrowes.

"A Serial Story" (not named), by Mrs. Charles Wallace, who read the introductory chapters.

**Six Nights "Go As You Please" Race.**

How many tired fathers and mothers in this town enter this race every night carrying a baby? And they wonder what the matter is. Chances are the child is starving—worms are eating all of its food. Most children have worms, yours needn't. White's Cream Vermifuge will get rid of the worms and strengthen the child. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.


**LOONEY & BLOESS LUMBER CO. FOR RUBBER ROOFING, $1.50 PER SQUARE.**


**Back With Old Company.**

Edward Kahrs has resumed his old position with the International Harvester company, and in future will have his headquarters at Warrenton, Mo.

## BURIED ON THE SABBATH

**Remains of Mrs. Deborah Cashman Laid to Rest.**

There was a large number of sorrowing friends at the funeral of Mrs. Deborah Cashman, wife of Patrick Cashman, of Houstonia, which was held at Sacred Heart church at 11:30 o'clock Sunday morning. Rev. Fr. Christian Daniel, assistant pastor, conducted the services, and delivered an appropriate eulogy on the life of deceased.

After the services at the church the remains were conveyed to the Catholic cemetery, where final interment was made.

Active pall-bearers were: Senator F. C. Hayman, J. D. Ellis and George W. Landers, of Houstonia; Thomas Horan, of Hughesville; Michael McGinley and E. G. Cassidy.

Honorary pall-bearers were: Chas. McEniry, Edward Donnelly, Patrick Dobel and Judge D. E. Kennedy.

The Houstonian of Friday, January 29, had the following in regard to the deceased:

Mrs. Cashman was born in County Kerry, Ireland, in 1832, her maiden name being Deborah Cain. In 1853 she was united to Patrick Cashman, of the came county, and they emigrated to the United States the same year, settling at Dayton, Ohio. They removed to Missouri in 1856 and have lived here continuously since.

Had Mrs. Cashman lived until the first day of next May, she would have been 77 years old.

Mrs. Cashman was known by every one in the community, and loved for the wealth of affection which she bestowed upon her family and for her generous hospitality to the stranger who had the good fortune to cross the threshold of her home. The memory of her kindness and generosity will linger long with those who knew her, and to the husband and children who sorrow over the loss of a most kind and loving wife and mother we extend heartfelt sympathy.

**Mr. Spencer Resigns as Manager.**

(From Monday's Daily.)

Jim Spencer has resigned as manager of the shoe department at Chasnoffs to go on the road. He will travel for Endicott, Johnson Co., New York, and leaves for New York next Wednesday for his samples. He will leave Sedalia for his spring trip February 25th and will be absent three months. His teritory will be North and South Dakota.

Mr. Spencer will not move his family from Sedalia and the four months of the year he will be at home he will spend in Sedalia.

**Pioneer Merchant Dies.**

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 1.—Green B. Aterbury, aged 70 years, died here today of pneumonia. He was a pioneer wholesale merchant and one of the first settlers of Maysville, Mo.


# MARRIED WOMEN

Every woman covets a shapely figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided by the use of **Mother's Friend** before baby comes, as this liniment prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. **Mother's Friend** makes the danger of child-birth less, and carries her safely through this critical period. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this remedy. Sold by druggists at $1.00 per bottle. Book mailed free to all expectant mothers.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO. Atlanta, Ga.

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For Highest Quality use KC BAKING POWDER




25 Ounces for 25 Cents

Made from pure, carefully tested materials. Get a can on trial You never saw such cakes and biscuit. They'll open your eyes.

Guaranteed under all Pure Food Laws

## MRS. VITT'S FATHER DEAD

**The Funeral Services at Tipton This Forenoon.**

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Michael Kramer, one of the oldest residents of Moniteau county, died of general debility at his home at Tipton at 7:15 o'clock Thursday evening.

Mr. Kramer would have been 89 years old had he lived until Feb. 15 He had lived at Tipton for the past forty years and was well known by nearly every resident of Moniteau county, all of whom will extend sympathy to the bereaved wife and seven children who survive.

The Rev. Fr. Koepper will conduct funeral services at St. Andrew's Catholic church at Tipton at 9 o'clock this morning, and burial will be made in the Tipton Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. J. H. Vitt, of this city, is a daughter of the deceased, and she and her husbadn left Saturday afternoon for Tipton to attend the funeral.

## BURIAL OF KIRK BAILEY

**Brother Who Caused Death Has Not Been Located.**

The funeral of Kirk Bailey who died from a stab wound inflicted by his younger brother, Victor, was held from the family residence, 619 West Fourth street, at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Rev. J. F. Caskey, pastor of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, conducted the services and the remains were later taken to Dresden for interment.

Up to date not a word has been heard from Victor, the 13-year-old boy who did the stabbing, which resulted in Kirk's death. Although he left home last Sunday night, all efforts of his relatives and the authorities to locate him have proved of no avail, and the opinion is being ventured that some mishap has befallen him.

**Will Go to Prison Monday.**

Hearst News Service.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Herman Billik, convicted of poisoning Mary Vrzal, will depart from the county jail, which for the last two years has been his home, for Joliet penitentiary Monday morning to serve his sentence of life imprisonment.

**A Brood of Young Chickens.**

Mrs. C. L. May, of rural route No. 8, Sedalia, has a fine brood of young chickens, hatched on the 20th of January, and they are growing nicely. Mrs. May has kindly extended an invitation to a representative of the Democrat-Sentinel to eat friend chicken with her in about six weeks.

**Have a Baby Boy.**

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Dillingham are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy born last Friday morning at 7:30. Mother and babe doing nicely.

Mrs. Dillingham is the only daughter of the late Chas. A. Stewart and wife, formerly of this city, and a niece of Mrs. C. W. Goodwin.

## MR. JOLLY'S BIRTHDAY

**It Was Celebrated at His Home Saturday Night.**

Mrs. William Jolly very charmingly entertained a score of guests on the third floor of her residence, 720 West Fifth street, Saturday night, in honor of the birthday anniversary of her husband, but which particular birthday Mr. Jolly celebrated Saturday his modesty refrains from telling.

Social games and pleasant reminiscences furnished the amusement, and at a late hour a light luncheon was served, after which all guests departed for their homes, wishing the guest of honor the happiness of celebrating many more such occasions.

## TWENTY-SIX HORSES BURNED

**Coffeyville, Kas., Had a $75,000 Fire Saturday.**

Associated Press.

Coffeyville, Kas., Jan. 30.—Fire here today destroyed A. E. Holloway's boarding stable, together with twenty-six fine horses, a veterinary hospital and three other buildings.

Several of the horses were valued at from $1,000 to $2,000.

The total loss is estimated at $75,000.

A terrific wind spread the flames, endangering the business section for a time.

## A TRAINLOAD OF CONVICTS

**They Cheered as They Left Prison at Lansing, Kas.**

Associated Press.

Lansing, Kas., Jan. 30.—A train load of Oklahoma convicts, numbering in all 344, left the prison here at noon today for McAlester, Ok.

As the train pulled out of the pris on the passengers cheered loudly.

## A SLIGHT SHOCK AT TOTONA

**But No Serious Earthquake in Southern Spain.**

Associated Press.

Madrid, Jan. 30.—Advices from Barcelona deny the reports of a disastrous earthquake in Southern Spain. There was a slight shock at Totona, but no serious damage.

**Received a Death Message.**

Mrs. Pat Curran left aSturday night for Ottumwa, Ia., in response to a telegram, apprising her of the death of her brother-in-law, John Curran, who died at that place at 7 o'clock Friday evening, aged 66 years. Deceased leaves a wife and four children.

*Stomach Blood and Liver Troubles*




**Much sickness starts with weak stomach, and consequent poor, impoverished blood. Nervous and pale-people lack good, rich, red blood. Their stomachs need invigorating for, after all, a man can be no stronger than his stomach.**

**A remedy that makes the stomach strong and the liver active, makes rich red blood and overcomes and drives out disease-producing bacteria and cures a whole multitude of diseases.**

***Get rid of your Stomach Weakness and Liver Laziness by taking a course of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery —the great Stomach Restorative, Liver Invigorator and Blood Cleanser.***

**You can't afford to accept any medicine of *unknown composition* as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine OF KNOWN COMPOSITION, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, same being attested as correct under oath.**

***Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels.***

## ADMITS HE WAS A FRAUD

**MAN WHO POSED AS A PRIEST AT TIPTON, MISSOURI, SOME THREE YEARS AGO.**

## HE HAS AT LAST GIVEN OUT STATEMENT

**Frank Fritz, Alias Fisher, Lectured at Tipton, Who Villified the Catholic Church, Lands in Illinois Convent.**

The Tipton Times of the 28th inst. printed the following self-explanatory communication from the Rev. F. Keuper, pastor of the Catholic church at Tipton:

"Editor Tipton Times. Dear Sir: Please publish the inclosed letter I received from Rev. F. Pieper, pastor of St. Patrick's church at Ruma, Ill. It needs no commentary.—F. Keuper."

Accompanying Fr. Keuper's letter was the following communication from the Rev. Pieper, a priest at Ruma, Ill.:

"Ruma, Ill., Jan. 23, 1909. Very Rev. F. Keuper, P. P., Tipton, Mo. Very Rev. Father: It will perhaps interest you to learn that a certain Frank Fritz alias Fisher, who lectured in your town about three years ago, villifying the Catholic church and posing as an ex-priest, etc., landed here at the convent the other day.

"Tired of the reckless life he has been leading, anxious to make his peace with God, he requested me to write to you that he was sorry for the scandal he had given in your town, that he never was a Catholic priest, or even a student, but that he actually was what you called him, 'a hobo' 'a tramp,' who was in the business for the money that was in it. I had the man sign a paper to this effect. Of course, I do not know that the man was sincere, but I have reason to think so, and I hope that he will do better in the future. With kind wishes, yours in Christ.—F. Pieper."

## DECLINED SPLENDID OFFER

**W. H. Powell Refused Presidency of Kansas City Financial Institution.**

W. H. Powell, cashier of the Citizens' National bank, returned Friday night from Kansas City, where he had been in consultation with the directors of one of the largest financial institutions of the west, located in that city, over the offer of the presidency of that institution, which had been made him.

The position carries with it a salary of $12,000 per annum and looms up large in the financial world. It is, in fact, one of the most desirable positions in the country, but in spite of the many inducements made and the insistent arguing of those in charge, Mr. Powell declined the offer, saying that Sedalia was good enough for him and the Citizens' as congenial a field of usefulness as he desired.

This, of course, will be good news for Sedalia, as the city could very illy afford to part with Mr. Powell as a citizen and business man.

It speaks very highly of his reputation, however, that these shrewd men of capital should have selected him for the position and should have insisted on his acceptance and is a compliment of which he should feel mighty proud. That he should decline and prefer to still remain and work in Sedalia is something of which the entire city should also be proud, for it takes lots of things to compensate one for refusing such a splendid opening. But, then, Sedalia has them, otherwise it would have lost one of its most valued and enterprising men of affairs.

## GAVE SONS AN INTEREST

**In the H. W. Meuschke Dry Goods Co., of This City.**

H. W. Meuschke, one of the best known and most successful dry goods merchants of the city, has given his two sons, Harry W. and Arthur J., an interest in the splendid business established at the northwest corner of Third and Ohio streets in 1883, and from and after this date the establishment will be known as the H. W. Meuschke Dry Goods Co.

There are no more popular young men in Sedalia than Harry and Arthur Meuschke. They have been brought up in the dry goods business, under the watchful eye of their father, and will prove valuable assistants to him in catering to the company's extensive trade in the years to come.

H. W. Meuschke and William H. Messerly opened the store at Third and Ohio streets in 1886, after having been four years at another location.

With the death of Mr. Messerly, Mr. Meuschke purchased the interest of his late partner, and has conducted the business with signal ability since, the store now being one of the largest and most successful in Central Missouri.

The Democrat-Sentinel congratulates the senior Mr. Meuschke on the step taken, and extends to the H. W. Meuschke Dry Goods Co. best wishes for the continued success the gentlemen will no doubt acquire and deserve.

**Awarding of Contracts.**

Jessie Wilkerson of No. 1005 East Thirteenth street, son of James N. Wilkerson, has let the contract for a new cotage to D. A. Lopp. Work will begin at once.

Ed Huston has contracted with D. A. Lopp for a new modern six room cottage on West Third street.

## A BIG SUM IS MISSING

**INSURANCE EAMINER OF NEW YORK DISCOVERS BIG HOLE IN COMPANY'S ASSETS.**

## WASHINGTON LIFE IS THE CONCERN

**No One Knows How Much is Gone But It is Said It May Amount to Gigantic Total of $750,000.**

Hearst News Service.

New York, Jan. 30.—That $500,000 and possibly $750,000 cash of the assets of the Washington Life Insurance company are missing was discovered today by Insurance Examiner Hadley, who, with a corps of expert accountants, is going over the books of the company.

This money is the cash portion of $16,000,000 in assets which were shipped over night to the Pittsburg Life and Trust company, in Pittsburg, and brought back to this city on the demand of Attorney General O'Malley.

The missing cash, it was reported tonight, might total $750,000.

## ALMOST WIPED OFF THE MAP

**Fire Caused a Loss of $200,000 at Nowata, Oklahoma.**

Associated Press.

Coffeyville, Kas., Jan. 30.—The town of Nowata, across the line from here in Oklahoma, was almost wiped off the map today by a fire that destroyed thirteen business houses, two banks and the county court house, which latter held all the records of that secion of Oklahoma.

The loss is estimated at $200,000

## CAR JUMPED THE RAILS

**And Carried 37 Passengers Down a Steep Embankment.**

Associated Press.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 30.—A street car with thirty-seven passengers jumped from slippery rails on Clifton avenue and tumbled down a steep embankment.

More than a score of the passengers were injured, some seriously.

## STORM HAS SPENT ITS FURY

**Wire Communication Is Still Badly Demoralized.**

Associated Press.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 30.—Reports today from the southwest show that the storm has spent its fury and conditions are improving. The temperature, however, remains low.

Telegraph and telephone communication are still badly demoralized.

## GRAIN ELEVATOR BURNS

**And Also Number of Cars, Causing a Loss of $25,000.**

Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 30.—A grain elevator at Bison, near Kingfisher, Ok., with a quantity of corn in cars, burned today, causing a loss of $25,000.

## WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

**In a Fire That Destroyed Her Home in Oklahoma.**

Associated Press.

Bartlesville, Ok., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Thomas Owens was burned to death last night in a fire that destroyed her home near here.

**Circuit Court Stands Adjourned.**

Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman late aSturday adjourned circuit court to court in course and continued all untried cases from this term to the April term of court.

## BIG "BOB CAT" IS KILLED

**THERE ARE STILL A FEW WILD BEASTS AT LARGE OUT IN KANSAS.**

## YOU CAN FIND ALMOST ANYTHING THERE

**Dogs Got After the Animal and Ran It Down, After Which "Joe" Baker Dispatched It With His Gun.**

Junction City Kan., Jan. 30.—Yesterday on the old Tilk farm, southwest of town, Joe Baker killed one of the largest "bob cats" ever seen in this section

The brute, which measured about four feet from tip to tip, was nearer the catamount species than anything else and probably strayed into this country from the sand hill section west of Abilene, where they are said to be numerous.

The dogs got after the animal and ran it down. In the fight which followed one dog was nearly torn to pieces.

Mr. Baker ran into the pack with his gun, when the animal turned on his with a snarl. It was promptly dispatched. Mr. Baker brought the cat to town, where it attracted much attention.

It weighed forty pounds and was purchased by Brownlee & Stephenson, who will have it mounted. It may be seen in their drug store window.

## BOYS TAPPED THE TILL

**Sentenced to the Reform School, but Paroled.**

Willie Manes, aged 11; Garrett Brady, aged 12, and George Pennington, aged 15, were arrested Friday by Officer Howard Wood, charged with tapping the money drawer of E. M. Shields, a market house poultry dealer, and stealing in the aggregate $25.

The trio was arraigned before H. M. Gresham, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, during the afternoon and held to criminal court.

Saturday morning Judge Hoffman acted on the suggestion of the justice and sentenced each to five years in the state reform school at Boonville, but later paroled the three youths on their promise to reform.

Manes, Brady and Pennington have been doing chores at the market house, and during the present month have visited Mr. Shields' place of business. When the proprietor was not looking they tapped the money drawer, Brady stealing $15 and each of the other two taking $5.

## MET DEATH AT POST

**Motorman Tried to Stop His Car, But in Vain.**

Hearst News Service.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 30.—Vainly struggling to stop his runaway car that was rapidly speeding down a steep and icy incline, Motorman Joseph Mulligan was killed and John Poppe, lieutenant of police, fatally crushed, when the car crashed against the trolley pole and then through a bill board.

The car came to a stop on the edge of a precipice 175 feet high.

All of the thirty-seven men and women passengers in the car were badly bruised and cut.

The dead motorman had been married but a few months.

## EVERY WOMAN WILL BE INTERESTED

If you will send your name and address we will mail you FREE a package of Mother Gray's **Australian-Leaf**, a certain, pleasant herb cure for women's ills. It is a reliable regulator and never-failing. If you have pains in the back, urinary, bladder or kidney trouble, use this pleasant union of aromatic herbs, roots and leaves. All druggists sell it, 50 cents, or address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, New York.

**Injured Man Doing Well**

G. W. Kemp, the hardware dealer at Lamonte, who was the most seriously injured of any by the cyclone which struck that town Tuesday evening, is pronounced by Dr. W. E. Walker, the attending physician, as being in a satisfactory condition. He rests well and has no fever.

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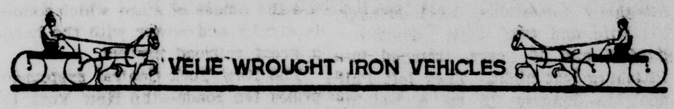
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## "AND THERE ARE OTHERS"

**A Hello Girl's Soft "Hello" Wins a Husband for Her.**

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—Another Belleville telephone operator left the switchboard for her own fireside when Miss Johanna Kaysing became the bride of Herbert Wolf Thursday evening at the parsonage of St. Paul's church.

It was a case of a sweet-voiced operator and a young business man coming to know each other by means of the telephone.

While the rules of the telephone company prevented very much of a courtship over the wire, the young man made it his business to meet the owner of the pleasant voice, and after a brief wooing the wedding followed.

## FIRE GUTTED THE OFFICE

**Of the Daily Oklahoman, Published in Oklahoma City.**

Associated Press.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Jan. 30.—Fire yesterday gutted the building of the Oklahoman, a daily newspaper, and the warehouse of the J. I. Case Co.

**Head of Salt Trust Dead.**

Hearst News Service.

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 30.—W. L. Fuller, head of the Salt trust, is dead here, after a brief illness.

The dead man was a resident of Scranton, Pa., and came here for his health. He was prominent in the affairs of many railroads.

**Had Seven Applications.**

A. H. Kemp was initiated into Fidelity council of the K. and L. of S. Friday night, and seven applications were balloted on.

## CHINA'S CURIOUS EDICT

**IT HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AT WASHINGTON.**

## THE DOCUMENT IS SINGULARLY WORDED

**New Emperor Tells How His Predecessor Worked and How He Died —Is Successor Equal to the Emergency.**

Washington, Jan. 30.—One of the first official acts of the new emperor of China, when he ascended the throne was to issue an imperial edict, telling his loyal subjects how the late emperor died.

A copy of this edict has been received at the state department. It is worded thus:

"Our late emperor ruled the empire for thirty and four years. He kept on his clothes after night and took his food after dark, earnestly devoting himself to the work of government.

"We hoped that his glory will be long enduring, and that he would live to complete the organization of government. But the sacred body was too frail. On the 21st day of the tenth moon of the thirty-fourth year of Kuank Hsu, he took the dragon ride to be a guest on high.

"We have entered on the great succession, the divine utensils are very heavy, the responsibility rests upon this feeble body; we think of our youth and scanty merit and fear we shall be unequal to the test."

**Report Favorable to Territories.**

Hearst News Service.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—The committee on territories today made a favorable report to the house on the bill for statehood for Arizna, and New Mexico.

EVERYBODY

agrees that the stomach is the measure of one's health and strength; then why not see to it that such an important organ is kept in a strong, condition? The best medicine to assist the stomach is

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# GMELICH WAS ELECTED

JOINT COMMITTEE WAS UNANIMOUS IN ITS DECISION LAST AFTERNOON.

## SUCCESSFUL MAN HAS PLURALITY OF 177

Vote Corrected by Recount Gives Mr. Gmelich 316,642 and Mr. Painter 346,465—Inducted Into Office This Morning.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 2.—What may properly be called the most spirited contest for a minor state office ever waged in Missouri was peacefully ended last afternoon when former State Treasurer Jacob F. Gmelich, affectionately known as "Uncle Jake," was declared to have been elected lieutenant governor over his democratic opponent, William R. Painter.

Speaker Speer, of the house of representatives, in accordance with the constitution and the statutes, made the announcement which terminated the struggle that has completely tied up the legislature, as far as lawmaking is concerned, since the first day of the session, nearly a month ago.

Cheers by the republican members and applause by the spectators, the fair sex predominating among the latter, followed the declaration, and Col. Fred Buenrle, true to tradition, added to the tumult by firing a salute from his trusty cannon on the capitol grounds.

Lieutenant Governor Gmelich was formally inducted into office at 11 o'clock this morning, when the inaugural ceremonies took place in the senate chamber. He at once assumed the presidency of the senate, relieving his predecessor, John C. McKinley, whose term expired January 10 but who has held over pending the settlement of the controversy that has so long taxed the patience of the legislators.

The election of Mr. Gmelich was determined by a joint committee of the house and senate, consisting of five democrats and five republicans, which conducted a recount of all the precincts of the city of St. Louis and certain precincts in the country districts.

The committees report, submitted to the general assembly in joint session last afternoon, unanimously agreed that the republican nominee had received the greater number of votes. The full text of the report follows:

### Report of the Committee.

The report of the committee, in full, follows:

We, your committee, appointed to canvass the returns of the vote cast at the general election in the state of Missouri, on the 3rd day of November, 1908, have hitherto reported as to the vote on all offices save that of lieutenant governor. As to the office the committee was, by the resolution of this body, directed, in order that all the facts be ascertained, to recount the vote in the city of St. Louis and certain precincts in various counties of the state. Reviewing the contest at its various stages, your committee finds:

1. That on the original returns certified to the speaker of the house of representatives with errors, in addition only, corrected, it appeared that Jacob F. Gmelich had a plurality of thirty (30) votes.

2. There were given to us by the speaker of the house various amended returns from several counties, which we considered: and upon these precincts disputed and on which the committee could not agree without a count, William R. Painter had a plurality of twenty-seven (27) votes.

### Started the Recount Then.

3. We then proceeded, in accordance with the resolution adopted by this body, to recount the vote of the city of St. Louis and the following county precincts: Lagrange precinct, Lewis county; Sixth ward precinct, Springfield, Greene county; First ward precinct De Soto, Jefferson county; Baldwin, Strattman, Webster Groves precincts, St. Louis county; Charleston No. 2, and Bird's Point, Mississippi county; Third ward precinct Moberly, Randolph county; Edina precinct, Knox county, and Courthouse precinct, Cape Girardeau township, Cape Girardeau county; Shelbina precinct, Shelby county.

Your committee agreed in the outset, on a motion made by a republican member of the committee, it would only count legal votes, and through the course of the count more than twenty-two hundred (2,200) ballots were rejected for the reason that they did not comply with the law, and the rulings of the committee in this respect were to require a strict compliance with the law. To illustrate, many ballots bore no number and many had two numbers, and these, under the rule, were rejected. A few ballots were rejected for the reason that they bore the initials of one judge properly made, but only the incomplete initials of the second judge.

We proceeded along these lines, construing the law as above stated, until the committee reached in recount the Twelfth precinct of the Nineteenth ward. It is, however, the unanimous opinion of your committee that the rejections on account of the above matters up to the time this ward was reached were not far from being equally divided between the two leading candidates for the office.

### Rejection Would Elect Painter.

The matter which has given your committee most serious concern is a class of ballots which bore the proper initials of one judge and only one initial of the other judge. As, for instance, the letters "McP." in one precinct were used for the initials of William J. McPherson; in precinct Twelve, ward Nineteenth, the letters "Mc" were used for the initials of Bernard J. McGovern; in precinct Two, ward Nineteenth, the letters "McC" were used for the initials of Ben J. J. McCauley; in precinct Two, ward Twenty-six the letter "G" was used for the initials of Max H. Guether, and in precinct One, ward Twenty-one, the letter "B" was used for the initials of Benjamin Anderson, and the letter "D" for the initials of E. P. Duffy. The foregoing defects affected a large number of ballots. If they are counted they will add to the vote of Mr. Gmelich. If they are rejected they will help the cause of Mr. Painter. Though it should be said that in some pecincts Mr. Gmelich loses by reason of such defective initials, and in others Mr. Painter, but the net results, if such ballots be rejected, would be to the benefit of Mr. Painter and would elect him.

In addition to the foregoing, in the Twenty-first precinct of the Twenty-eighth ward, all the numbers were stamped on the ballots with a mechanical device or stamping machine, instead of being written thereon, and some members of the committee now council. He was for many years executive of Precinct A of the old Ninth ward, and always mingled with the democratic workers on election day. He was one of the founders of the Duckworth club.

Jordan married and had two sons, one of whom is still alive. One of his sons was on the stage with Joe Murphy, the irish comedian, for many years. During the Dempsey administration Jordan held a minor political job and shortly after this regime passed into history he was taken sick. He made his home up to a short time ago at 612 Vine street, with Mrs. Frank Smith. Some months ago he was taken to St. Francis hospital, where he died.

### Will Extend Electric Railway.

Sapulpa, Ok., Feb. 1.—It was announced today that local capitalists have contributed $150,000 to extend the Sapulpa electric railway to the Kiefer and Glenn Pool oil fields.

### Was Ill Only Two Days.

(From Monday's Daily.)

The 15-year-old son of Lon Darley, a prosperous farmer near Hughesville, died from pneumonia at his parents' home this morning, after a two-days' illness.


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# ROADS OWN COAL MINES

AND DISCRIMINATE IN RATES AGAINST OPERATORS OF PENNSYLVANIA.

## THIS IS ONE OF THE CHARGES PREFERRED

For Months Pittsburg Operators Have Been Gathering Data Regarding the Ownership of Mines.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2.—Representatives of eight railways operating in the coal mining districts in Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia, will meet at the Hotel Schenley tomorrow for a conference, supposedly to plan a defense against the charges of the Pennsylvania coal operators that the roads own mines in West Virginia and Ohio and discriminate in rates against the Pennsylvania operators.

Some time since a meeting was called by the railroads to discuss advancing of lake rates. This was to have been held on Jan. 12, but in the meantime the operators became active. Not only must rates not be raised, but there must be some sort of concessions made to the Western Pennsylvania operators by the roads, even on the existing rate basis, they claim. The Pennsylvania railroad alone at that time was not in favor of advance in rates. The railroads called this meeting off when they heard how angry the operators were, and the meeting now arranged is one of defense.

The proposal of the operators is that there be an adjustment of rates, particularly between the Pennsylvania and the West Virginia fields. As it is now, the Pennsylvania and the West Virginia rates are the same, though the haul from West Virginia to the lakes is about twice that from the Pittsburg district to the lakes. Yet the rate remains the same—88 cents a ton on board the cars or 97 cents a ton if loaded on the lake boats.

From Ohio points the rate is 83 cents loaded at the lakes. In addition to the haul being twice as long, it has been shown to the railroads that they are required to haul the cars back to West Virginia empty, since there are few or no factories there to use ore from the lakes, while a train of coal going from the Pittsburg district comes back with ores or other material for the Pittsburg manufacing district. This they assert is discrimination.

For months now Pittsburg operators have been gathering data regarding the ownership of several large mines in West Virginia and Ohio, and they claim that they can prove that these mines really are owned by certain railroads.

They declare they will prove it unless the roads cease discriminating against them.


HAMLET

had melancholy probably caused by an inactive liver. A bad liver makes one cross and irritable, causes mental and physical depression and may result disastrously.

Ballard's Herbine is acknowledged to be the perfect liver regulator. If you're blue and out of sorts, get a bottle today. A positive cure for bilious headache, Constipation, Chills and Fever and all liver complaints. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.


### Lifts Baggage Car Roof.

The roof was blown off the baggage car of the M., K. & T. train, south bound, while nearing Lockhart, Texas last Friday night. The wind was blowing at a hurricane rate.

No other damage was reported to the train. The wind's velocity was seventy miles an hour.

### Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administraton on the estate of Mary A. Saunders, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 26th day of September, 1908, by the Probate Court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required them for allowance to the administrator within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 16th day of January, 1909.

JOHN J. SAUNDERS,
Administrator.

### Bridegroom Was 72; Bride, 66.

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 1.—Jesse Peck, 72 years of age, and Mrs. Rhoda McBride, 66 years old, were married last evening at the home of the bride in this city. The groom is a farmer of Rogersville, Webster county. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. M. Mitchell, of Robersville.

### Went to Communion in a Body.

The members of Sedalia council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, celebrated the fifth anniversary of the institution of the local council Sunday by attending holy communion in a body at St. Patrick's Catholic church. Rev. Fr. B. R. McNamee, the pastor, delivered a fine talk in commendation of the order.

### Killed by a Train.

Lloyd Dishion, a young farmer living just west of California, Mo., was run over by a Missouri Pacific train Saturday night and his head was cut off. He was 32 years old and single, a son of Eli Dishion.


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Scores of Sedalia Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys.

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Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.


### Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John W. Meyer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of January, 1909, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executor within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited witain two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 25th day of January, 1909.

HENRY MEYER, Executor.

### Notice of Assignee's Application For Discharge.

Creditors and others interested in the estate of Hill's Business College under a general deed of assignment to the undersigned, I. N. Sprecher, as Assignee, are notified that on the first day of the next May term of the Circuit Court of Pettis County, to be begun and held at the court house in the City of Sedalia on the 3d day of May, 1909, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, I will make application to be discharegd.

I. N. SPRECHER.
Assignee.

### A Switchman's Leg Amputated.

While James M. Early, a Missouri Pacific switchman, was standing by a moving train in the yards in Kansas City Sunday afternoon a loose iron dropped from one of the cars, crushing his right leg.

He was taken to the Missouri Pacific hospital, where the leg was amputated. He lives at 708 Washington street in Kansas City.


BABY'S HANDS

will get into mischief—often it means lard's Snow Liniment just as soon as the accident happens, and the pain will be relieved while the wound will heal quickly and nicely. A sure cure for sprains, Rheumatism and all pains, a burn or cut or scald. Apply Bal-Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 a bottle. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.


### To Abolish Railroad Board.

The state board of railroad and warehouse commissioners will come in for its share of notice when the hundreds of bills now tied up on account of the lieutenant governorship contest are turned loose this wee.

At least a dozen bills to abolish the office or substitute something in its place are ready for introduction.

### Elmer Caught the "G."

Elmer Harrison was given a box of candy at Grammar's Palace of Sweets Sunday, having discovered the misplaced "G" in the Sedalia theater program Saturday night.

### Order of Sale in Partition.

By virtue and authority of an order of sale in partition, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis county, Missouri, dated the 2nd day of January, 1909, and to me directed in favor of Annie Perrin, William Henderson, Emma Henderson, Lou Johnson, Grant Henderson, Henry Henderson and Ella Johnson, plaintiffs, and against Josephine Henderson, a minor, and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs are entitled to the relief prayed for in their petition, orders that the property described in plaintiffs' partition be sold by the sheriff of Pettis county, Missouri, as provided by law in such cases. Now, therefore, in order to comply with the terms of said order of sale, I, the undersigned sheriff of Pettis county, Missouri, shall proceed to sell the said real estate, so ordered sold, and situated in Pettis county, Missouri, to-wit:

The east half of the southwest quarter of section number twenty-one (21), in township forty-eight (48), of range twenty-one (21), except five or six acres, more or less, off of the north end thereof, conveyed to J. K. P. Idol and wife to J. M. Jones by deed, recorded in book 17, page 49. And I will, on Saturday, February 6th, 1909, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis county, Missouri, and while the circuit court is in session, sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in order to comply with the said order of sale.

M. T. HENDERSON,
Sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri.

Default having been made under a certain deed of trust executed by Melissa Wilson dated May 23, 1906, recorded May 26, in book 166, at page 236, in the recorder's office of Pettis county, Missouri, by which said deed of trust the said grantor conveyed to me for the purpose of securing of certain notes, described in said deed of trust, the following described real estate: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), township forty-five (45), and range twenty-one (21); and all the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section contained in an island bounded on the north by the main channel of Flat creek and on the south side thereof by a slough and containing six acres, more or less, all in Pettis county, Missouri.

Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of the said notes, I hereby give notice that I will on Tuesday, the 9th day of February, 1909, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in the city of Sedalia, Pettis county, Missouri, to satisfy said debt, interest and costs.

LEE MONTGOMERY,
Trustee.

January 6, 1909

### Administratrix' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary K. Hough, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of January, 1909, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the administratrix within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 12th day of January, 1909.

MARY S. KILLION,
Administratrix.


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To the gulf coast of Texas and Old Mexico, Feb. 2nd and 16th, via M., K. & T. Ry. Liberal stop-overs in both directions, with final limit of 25 days from date of sale. Go and see this rapidly growing country while land is cheap and rates are low; $25.00 to San Antonio, Laredo, Corpus Christi, Brownsville, Houston and Galveston; $45.00 to the City of Mexico. For dates to other points, inquire at City Ticket Office, 322 Ohio street, or at M., K. & T. Depot. Bell phone 257...

Winter tourist tickets to the South and Southwest on sale daily.

A. C. MINER, T. P. A.
C. M. JACOBS, P. & T. A.


Default having been made under a certain deed of trust executed by J. H. Haycock and May L. Haycock, dated January 14, 1908, recorded January 18, in book 189, on page 128, in the recorder's office of Pettis county, Missouri, by which said deed of trust the said grantor conveyed to me for the purpose of securing a certain note, described in said deed of trust, the following described real estate:

Beginning on the west side of the public road running north and south through the town of Beaman, Pettis county, Missouri, 120 58-100 feet south of the section line that runs east and west between sections seventeen (17) and twenty (20), in township forty-six (46), of range twenty (20), of Pettis county, Missouri, thence west along the south line of a private road deeded to A. M. Slaton by T. J. Todd and wife, Mary S. Todd; 357 feet, thence south 349 41-100 feet to the north line of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway right of way; thence east 229 feet along the north line of said right of way; thence north 165 feet; thence east 132 feet; thence north along the west side of public road to the place of beginning, being a part of the northeast quarter of section twenty (20), township forty-six (46), of range twenty (20); also a piece of ground 42 feet by 132 feet, described as follows: Beginning on the west side of the public road that runs north and south through the town of Beaman, ten poles north of the north line of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway right of way, where it intersects said west line of the public road; thence west eight poles; thence south 42 feet; thence east eight poles; thence north 42 feet to the point of beginning, in section twenty (20), township forty-six (46), of range twenty (20), all in Pettis county, Missouri.

Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of the said note, I hereby give notice that I will on Thursday, the 25th day of February, 1909, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., sell said property to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in the city of Sedalia, Pettis county, Missouri, to satisfy debt, interest and costs.

T. H. WENDLETON,
Trustee.

### Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the district court of the United States, central division of the western district of Missouri. In re Trail G. Raub, bankrupt, to the creditors of the above named bankrupt of Sedalia, in the county of Pettis and district aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of January, 1909, the said Trail G. Raub was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, 112 West Fourth street, in the city of Sedalia, on the 9th day of February, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN MONTGOMERY, JR.,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Sedalia, Mo., Jan. 23, 1909.

### Administratrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Frank Vollrath, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of January, 1909, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the administratrix within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 23d day of January, 1909.

EMMA M. VOLLRATH,
Administratrix.

### Notice of Administrator With Will Annexed.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration, with will annexed, on the estate of John M. Prezinger, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the eleventh day of January, 1909, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 11th day of January, 1909.

C. C. WEAKLEY,
Administrator with Will Annexed.

### British Steamer Wrecked.

Melbourne, Feb. 1.—The British steamer Clan Banald is a total wreck near Edithburg, and the captain and forty-six of the crew, most of whom are Asiatics, are drowned. Eighteen of the crew were saved.


Directors--Chas. Hoffman, J. W. Murphy, E. R. Andler, B. M. Lodge, W. E. Staley.

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# Time Table

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

| No. | Arr. | Going East. | Depart. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 12:15 | St. L. Exp. | 12:20 a m |
| 12 | 2:10 am | St. L. Lim. | 2:15 am |
| 10 | 2:35am | St. L. Lim. | 2:40 am |
| 22 | 10:30am | Local Pass. | 10:40 am |
| 2 | 1:00pm | St. L. Sp'cl. | 1:05 pm |
| 8 | 4:25pm | Mail & Exp. | 4:30 pm |
| 18 | 9:10 pm | K. C. Accom. | |

East bound local freight departs from yards at 7 15 a. m.

| No. | Arr | Going West. | Depart. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 9 | 1:45am | Jopnn Lim. | 1:50 am |
| 5 | 4:00 am | Colo. Exp. | 4:05 am |
| 11 | 4:45am | K C St J Lim | 4:50 am |
| 37 | ..... | Local Pass. | 7:15 am |
| 21 | 2:40pm | Local Pass. | 2:50pm |
| 1 | 2:30pm | Col & St J Spe | 2:35pm |

West bound local freight departs from station at 7:30 a. m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 622, | Passenger, arr. | 10:30 am |
| No. 624, | Passenger, arr. | 9:445 pm |
| No. 623, | Passenger, dep. | 5:15am |
| No. 621, | Passenger, dep. | 3:10pm |
| No. 691, | Local Frt., dep. | 6:40am |
| No. 696, | Local Frt., arr. | 2:30 pm |

WARSAW BRANCH.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 643 | departs | 7:15 am |
| No. 644 | arrives | 2:25 pm |

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

| No. | Arr. | Going South. | Depart. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 6:25 pm | Local Pass. | 6:50 pm |
| 3 | 8:50 am | Local Pass. | 9:10 am |
| 5 | 3:17 am | Flyer. | 3:22 am |
| 511 | ..... | Local Freight. | 7:10 am |

| No. | Arr. | North and East. | Depart |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. | Arr. | | Depart |
| 515 | ..... | Da. Except Sun. | 8:35 am |
| 451 | ..... | Da. Except Sun. | 2:00 pm |

KANSAS CITY DIVISION.

Going East.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. 616 | arrives | | 3:55 pm |
| No. 452 | arrives | | 5:00 am |
| 3 | 12:35 am | Flyer | 12:40 am |
| 504 | .... | Da Except Sun | 6:15 a. m. |
| 2 | 8:25 am | Local Pass. | 8:50 am |
| 4 | 8:05 pm | Local Pass. | 8:30 pm |

34 Trains In and Out of Sedalia Every 24 Hours.

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|---|---|---|---|
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This is the final opportunity to buy a handsome garment at a price you can well afford for the rest of this season and be ready next fall with a stylish coat.

## Clearing Sale of Dress Goods

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 25 values for 75c | 1.00 values for 69c | 75c values for 39c | 50c values for 25c |

The above prices show the great reductions on our large and varied assortment of wool Dress Goods.

10 Yards 10c Bleached Muslin with every Dress Goods Purchase.

# C. E. Messerly.


## LOCKING UP THE CRIMINALS

**Stirred By Carnival of Crime, St. Louis Got Active.**

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—Using dragnet methods, the police, stirred by the Jobusch murder and the wildest night of crime in the history of St. Louis, are filling the station cells.

Six men, whom the police claim have committed a score of robberies in Carondolet, their operations covering a period of several months are held by the police of the First district. Twenty others are held as suspects. After their arrest, six men, under right questioning, confessed to many burglaries. They told full details of how they disposed of their booty.

Four men, including Jobusch, were held up during the night. A shot was fired at a second and a revolver snapped in the faces of others. Besides the "Wild West" dash of the highwaymen in a buggy, a dozen burglaries, including the robbery of a church, and the operations of many petty larceny thieves, were reported.

Joseph Jobusch, 2234 Warren street, was the victim of men in a buggy. He was killed while resisting their attempts to rob him.

## THIS MAN HAS A GROUCH

**Against "Merry Widows," Hence He Clips the Feathers.**

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 30.—Modern millinery valued at hundreds of dollars has been ruined by a mysterious unknown referred to by the police as "Jack the Clipper."

"Merry widows," with long feathered ornamentation, have been trimmed, and husbands and wives alike howled till plain clothes men have been detailed.

It is believed that some one, angered at annoyance from long feathers from women's hats in crowded cars, has begun wholesale clipping of rooster tails, etc.

**The Real Beginning of Lent.**

Owing to a typographical error, Friday's Democrat-Sentinel stated the Lenton season would begin on Feb. 28, when it should have read Feb. 24.

**Have Located In Sedalia.**

Miss Wayne Clutts, a former Sedalia girl, recently living at Leavenworth, Kas., was married recently to George Cox, a moving picture machine operator, and, accompanied by her husband, arrived in Sedalia Friday and both have taken apartments at the home of Mrs. Belle Asher, on South Lamine avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox have been engaged to assist in the entertainments at the Palace theatre.

## NAME CUT FROM THE STONE

**Dishonored Pastor to Be Returned to Former Home.**

St. Louis, Jan. 30.—When the Rev. James W. Richey, eloping Methodist minister, is taken from St. Louis to Carmel, Ind., to face three indictments, he will find his name erased from the cornerstone of the church he recently built there.

The church, a handsome structure of stone and concrete, bore Pastor Richey's name graven in the place of honor in the cornerstone. When the congregation learned that their former leader had abandoned his wife and infant, and had run away with the country girl who had lived in his home, members of the church hastened to the new edifice and contended for the right of wielding the chisel which should efface Richey's name from the record of stone. They left it a few minutes later with a gaping hole in the granite.

He was found at 5735 Delmar boulevard, St. Louis, last Monday night, and was arrested through letters written by him and Bertha Williamson to his wife and to her parents. He was working as a motorman.

## BOUGHT SIXTEEN MULES

**They Cost Mr. McClure An Average of $200 a Head.**

W. W. McClure, of Hughesville, Mo., arrived in Versailles Wednesday morning with sixteen fine mules, which he bought of Lon Snider at Linn Creek, says the Versailles Leader.

He shipped them to Hughesville over the Missouri Pacific. The mules were four to five years old, measured sixteen hands and above, and cost Mr. McClure an average of $200 per head.

Mr. McClure also purchased 180 head of three-year-old feeders of John Pillman, who resides at Spring Creek, Phelps county, for which he paid four cents per pound, the cattle averaging 915 pounds. He is driving the cattle though to Hughesville.

**Action Was Deferred.**

At a meeting of the Flambeau club, Friday night, action on attending the presidential inauguration at Washington, D. C., March 4, was postponed until next Friday night.


Dr. H. L. Barnum Dr. K. R. Barnum

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## A SENSATION AT CLINTON

**NEGRO SEIZED WHITE GIRL BY SHOULDER IN A LAUNDRY THERE.**

**WAS KNOCKED DOWN BY THE PROPRIETOR**

**Scoundrel Then Fled, and It Is Well That He Did, as Public Indignation Was Aroused to a High Pitch.**

Early this morning, says Friday's Clinton Democrat, a young woman who works in the Troy laundry had occasion to step into the engine room, where a negro named Ellison, commonly called "Gravy," who has for several years run the engine, seized her by the shoulders.

She wrenched herself free, and, returning to the front room with tears in her eyes, was asked by Frank Carter, the proprietor, what was the matter. She informed him, and, seizing a monkey wrench, Carter ran to the engine room, ignored the negro's protests that he was "just a-funnin'," and knocked him down. Then Carter ran back for his revolver, but by the time he secured it the negro was fleeing for safety. Officers began searching for him, but without avail.

The notoriety is very unpleasant to the young woman, whose name is purposely withheld. She desired to say as little as possible, but such exaggerated reports are current the Democrat deems it best to give the facts.

Other young women employed in the laundry say that "Gravy" has attempted similar liberties in the past, but they said nothing about it. Public feeling runs high, and it will be an unhealthy climate for "Gravy" if he ventures back.

## NOTES OF THE LATE STORM

**Some of the Damage That Occurred In the County.**

The wind Thursday night blew the roof of of the Independent oil tanks on West Main street. The building was a one-story brick, recently built.

The sheds of the Standard Oil company on West Main street were blown down and turned completely over.

A wind mill on the Blair farm, three miles west of town, was blown down and wrecked, as was also the wind mill on the Todd farm, in the same locality. Much damage was done to sheds and outbuildings.

A wind mill on the Charles McEniry farm, five miles northeast of town, was blown down. A wind mill on the W. A. Lower farm, in the northern part of the county, was razed to the ground, and trees and shrubbery in his yard was badly damaged.

The handsome new house of W. Y. Cline, one mile east of the city limits, felt the force of the wind, and a large plate glass was demolished.

The Cartwright school house, twelve miles northeast of Sedalia, a brick building, had the roof raised, but it settled back in an irregular shape.

Joe Cartwright, an extensive farmer in the same neighborhood, suffered from the loss of sheds and outbuildings, while Jim Hay, north of Postal, had a tenant house blown down and wrecked.

On the farm of Mr. Thomas, a gardener, southeast of the city, a barn was blown down.

## A GOOD WOMAN CALLED

**The Death of Mrs. Patrick Cashman Near Houstonia.**

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Mrs. Deborah Cashman, of Houstonia, wife of Patrick Cashman and mother of John Cashman, of the legal department of the Missouri Pacific railway at St. Louis, died from a stroke of paralysis, sustained Thursday, at her home at 6 o'clock Friday evening, aged 79 years.

Several months ago Mrs. Cashman, at the solicitation of her family, was brought to Sedalia to undergo a special treatment for rheumatism.

She showed material improvement after several weeks, and was later returned to Houstonia, but Thursday last sustained a stroke of paralysis, from which she died.

Funeral services will be conducted at Sacred Heart church this morning and burial will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Cashman was one of Pettis county's oldest residents. She commanded the esteem and respect of every acquaintance, and every friend will extend sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Cashman leaves the following children: John, of St. Louis; Joseph, of Kansas City; William, near Houstonia; Mrs. Joseph Livers, of Kansas City, and Miss Nellie, at home.

The following will be pall bearers: Patrick Dobel, Mike McGinley, E. G. Cassidy, Edward Donnelly, Charles McEntry and Judge D. E. Kennedy.


# COMING

TO SEDALIA, MO.

The Eminent Physician on Chronic Diseases Will Visit Our City FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, And Will Be at the Antlers Hotel Until 3 P. M., One Day ONLY.

Dr. Potterf, president of the staff of the Boston Electro Medical Institute is making a tour of the state.

He will give consultation ,examination, and all the medicines necessary to complete a cure FREE. All parties taking advantage of this offer are requested to state to their friends the result of the treatment.

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Liquor and tobacco habit, big neck, stammering cured.

Piles, fistula and rupture cured without detention from business. Eyes, nose and throat.

Glasses fitted, granulated lids, cataracts, cross eyes straightened without pain.

If you are improving under your family physician, do not take up our valuable time. The rich and the poor are treated alike. Idlers and curiosity seekers will please stay away. Our time is valuable.

Remember NOT A PENNY will be charged for the medicine required to make a cure of all those taking treatment this trip. Office hour 9 a. m.

Positively married ladies must be accompanied by their husbands. Remember the date, Friday, Feb. 12, at the Antlers hotel, Sedalia, Mo.


## ARCHIAS' ANNUAL OUT

**New 1909 Catalogue is Bigger and of Broader Scope.**

Brimful of information of interest to the farmer, poultryman, bee keeper, horticulturist and bird and stock fanciers, the 1909 Annual of Archias' Seed store is just from the press. The book has 96 pages (twelve more than the largest Annual, 1908,), is lavishly illustrated and conveys the newest ideas on subjects with which it deals. Its cover design is especially beautiful and attractive, and the book as a whole is the best ever issued by this growing firm, bespeaking its enterprise on every page in a truthful and forceful way.

Copies of the catalogue may be secured free for the asking.

The Goodwin Publishing company did the printing.

## "W. C. T. U." ENTERTAINED

**At the Home of Mrs. W. M. Alspaugh Friday Night.**

The members of the W. C. T. U. entertained the ministers and the public school teachers of the city at the home of Mrs. W. M. Alspaugh, 1006 West Seventh street, Friday night, and among those in attendance was Mrs. Middleton, of Kansas City, who spoke on "Scientific Temperance in the Schools."

Mrs. Middleton exhibited a number of essays on the subject, prepared by Kansas City school children, and it furnished an hour's interesting study for those present.

Prof. Isaac Farris gave a piano solo, Miss Helen Goodyear recited and Mrs. E. B. Quisenberry rendered a vocal selection, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

**Held on Forgery Charge.**

Charles Williams was held to criminal court in the sum of $500 by Judge Clark late Friday for attempting to cash a forged check for $80 on the Citizens' National bank. Williams could not furnish bond.


# Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments, must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential.

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the Local.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional.

The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerve, all tissue, and all blood ailments.

The "Night Cure", as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, heals local weaknesses and discharges, while the Restorative, eases nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissues, bringing about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure

W. E. BARD DRUG CO.


## SENT $100 IN A LETTER

**SPRINGFIELD MERCHANT GETS QUITE A BUNCH OF CONSCIENCE MONEY.**

**ONCE TOOK TOO MUCH FROM THE STORE**

**Recipient Can Advance No Reason for St. Louisan's Act Unless It Is That of Some Penitent Shoplifter.**

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 30.—When Moses Levy, proprietor of the Model dry goods store, opened his mail yesterday he noticed a letter addressed in very poor handwriting. Upon opening the letter he saw the ends of banknotes extending out of the paper

Unfolding the paper, he found $100 in currency of the following denominations: One $50 bill, two $20 bills and one $10 bill. The money was enclosed in three sheets of ordinary writing paper. On one of the sheets of paper was a brief note which read:

"Conchents money. Once I take from you too much."

No name was signed to the note. Nor was the letter registered, as the writer could have been detected had Mr. Levy chosen to ascertain the identity of the conscience-stricken person. The handwriting was vertical and appeared to be the work of some small child, prompted, of course, by some older person. The address on the letter read: "Moses Levy, Model Dry Goods Store."

Mr. Levy said he had no idea who the sender of the money could be, but thinks some person who has been guilty of shoplifting in his store has become penitent and wanted to relieve his mind of burdensome guilt

"This is the first conscience money I have ever received," remarked Mr. Levy, "and I suppose there are few business men in Springfield who have ever received this amount of money, accompanied by such an explanation."

Mr. Levy can not recall any injury done him by any person, and believes that the writer, in "taking too much" probably took more goods than he was entitled to at some bargain sale.

## HIS DAMAGE HEAVY

**H. H. Taylor, Living Five Miles From Sedalia Felt Storm's Havoc.**

H. H. Taylor, a farmer and stock man, living five miles west of Sedalia on the Sixteenth street road, suffered quite severely from the storm Thursday and possibly incurred a greater damage than any other one individual in the county.

The storm struck Mr. Taylor's neighborhood about 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Three members of his family were milking cows in the barn, when one-half of the roof was blown off.

Mr. Taylor's implement house was wrecked; a portion of his house was shattered; his smokehouse was blown from its foundation a distance of ten feet; a buggy shed was literally torn to pieces; window panes in the house were shattered, and a carriage and a new buggy were badly damaged.

Mr. Taylor's daughter, Miss Alma, had one arm painfully injured during the disturbance, but her injury is not dangerous.

It seems as though Mr. Taylor's farm was the only one in that locality which was included in the storm's path.

## UNKNOWN SHIP WENT DOWN

**In Violent Sea, Spouting Flames and Smoke Sunk Beneath Waves.**

Hearst News Service.

Elizabeth, N. C., Jan. 30.—In a tempest so violent that it seemed no ship could pass through it, a big steamer flying the American flag and with her stern spouting flame and smoke, was engulfed in the sea today within three miles of the Diamond shoals lightship.

The watchers on shore were unable to gain any clue as to her identity.

It is said she had a passenger deck and if passengers wee aboard all are lost.

**"100 Miles Out and Still Happy."**

John Walmsley Thursday night received a message from his son, Fletcher, en route to Brazil, South America, sent by wireless telegraph from the steamship Moltke, via Seagate, N. Y., reading as follows:

"About one hundred miles out and still happy."

Mr. Walmsley also received a postal card yesterday from his grandson, Master Jack Crawford, at Long Beach, Cal., presenting a picture of James H. Crawford, of Steamboat Springs, Colo., Adolph Reicke, Grant Crawford and Master Jack, all of Sedalia, the latter astride a burro, the party being apparently without a care in the world.


# PUBLIC SALE!

The Farm Where I Have Been Living Having Been Sold, I Will Sell at Public Auction on the Old Major Gentry Farm, Three Miles Northwest of Sedalia, on

## Tuesday, Feb. 9th, '09

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PERSONAL PROPERTY:

HORSES.

1 black mare, 10 years old, 16 hands high, weight 1600 lbs., in foal to Petty's Percheron horse.
1 black gelding, coming 3 years old, 16 hands, weight 1450 lbs.
1 black gelding, coming 3 years old 16 hands, weight 1250 lbs.
1 black filley, coming 2 years old, weight 1100 lbs.
1 black gelding, coming 2 years old, weight 1050 lbs.
1 black filley, coming 1 year old, weight 900 lbs.
2 gray horses, 8 years old, 16½ hands high, weight 2860 lbs.
1 sorrel gelding, 12 years old, 15½ hands high.
1 black gelding, 11 years old, 15½ hands high.
1 brown mare, 9 years old, 15½ hands high, in foal to Arnold's draft horse.
1 bay mare, 9 years old, 15 hands high, extra driver.
1 black filley, coming 4 years old, 15½ hands high, weight 1100 lbs.
1 black filley, coming 4 years old, 15 hands, saddle and driver.

CATTLE.

4 extra good milk cows, safe in calf.
2 registered Shorhorn cows, safe in calf.
1 Shorthorn bull, coming 2 years old, extra fine.
36 head of coming 2 year old stock heifers, good grades and colors.
3 heifer calves.
2 steer calves.

HOGS.

6 Duroc-Jersey brood sows in pig.
1 registered Duroc boar.
50 shoats, weight about 40 pounds.

SHEEP.

40 head high grade Shropshire ewes
20 head registered Shropshire ewes.
8 head coming yearling bucks, eligible to registration.

MACHINERY.

1 Deering binder, 6 ft. cut, in good order.
1 Rock Island hay loader.
1 hay baler, new.
3 farm wagons.
1 one-horse spring wagon.
1 12-inch gang plow.
1 smoothing harrow.
1 broadcast seeder.
1 Disc harrow, tongueless
1 corn sheller.
1 feed grinder, new.
1 wheat drill, disc.
Breaking plows.
Cultivators.
Several sets of tug harness.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

NOTICE—ABSOLUTELY NO OUTSIDE STUFF WILL BE OFFERED AT THIS SALE.

TERMS: Four months' time without interest if paid when due; if not paid when due, 8 per cent interest from date; 2 per cent discount for cash.

DINNER SERVED ON THE GROUNDS.

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## CAR BLOWN MANY MILES

**Strange Story Related By a Former Sedalia Brakeman in Letter.**

George McClure, the veteran Missouri Pacific engineer, Saturday received a letter, dated Thursday, January 28, from his son, W. D. McClure, a brakeman for the Rock Island railway out of Sayra, Okla., details of which are as follows:

"At 10:25 a. m. today an empty stock car of the Rock Island railroad, standing on a sidetrack, was blown from Erick, Okla., to Sayra, a station fourteen miles west, in twenty-five minutes, arriving at Sayra at 10:50 a. m.

"The traveling time of the empty car exceeded the fastest running time of the Rock Island passenger trains by eight minutes, and that, too, when it was necessary in going that route to climb two hills."

Mr. McClure, in his missive to his father, concludes by saying, "Beat this if you can."

## BIGGEST DAMAGE VERDICT

**Man in Illinois Got $20,000 From a Jury Saturday.**

Hearst News Service.

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 30.—In the circuit court here this afternoon a jury awarded John Tijan, plaintiff in a personal injury action brought against the Illinois Steel company, $20,000 damages.

The verdict is the largest in the history of the county. Tijan had practically every bone in his body broken in an accident at the local plant of the company.

## MAN LOCATED HIS SISTER

**By Means of a Publication in the Democrat-Sentinel.**

Two hours after Friday's issue of the Democrat-Sentinel was off the press, Henry Vaughan, of Geary, Okla., located his sister, Mrs. Rosa Vaughan Woods, after a separation of thirteen years, and the first meeting in that length of time was effected.

Mr. Vaughan came to Sedalia Wednesday, pursuant to information received that his sister was here. They were separated thirteen years ago, and during that period he had not heard from her.

Announcemtnt of Mr. Vaughan's visit in Sedalia was made in Friday's issue of the Democrat-Sentinel, and two hours later, while seated in the lobby of the Hotel Kaiser, Mr. Vaughn was summoned to the telephone by his sister, who had read the notice in the Democrat-Sentinel and directed her brother where to come to meet her.

## CHICAGO STORM BOUND

**Windy City Was in the Clutches of the Blizzard Several Days.**

Hearst News Service

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Four dead, many injured and much suffering, and an unknown property loss, is the toll paid by Chicago to the storm that swooped down upon this city Friday noon, as part of the present far-reaching disturbance.

Early today the snow ceased falling. The interrupted surface and elevated transportation has been resumed and wire service north, west and south, that was badly crippled last night, is being rapidly restored.

The train on the South Minnesota division of the C. M. & St. P. railroad, which was in snow drifts some time Thursday night, is still unlocated.




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